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## "D.A. Excludes Gays!"

### CASTRO AREA IN FOR A LONG HOT SUMMER?

NEARLY 1,000 GAYS BLOCK STREETS  
IN PROTEST OVER POLICE ACTION!  
Saturday, May 12th, a day that will be remembered sadly by longtime gay activists as a step backwards, when homosexuals in the Castro on a hot Saturday afternoon at about 4:05 PM listened to the shoutings of Vincent Costanza who was illegally placing political campaign posters for some unknown homosexual candidate for Mayor (and he hasn't filed yet, that is not until late August) on street lamp posts and other such property. The Patrol Special warned the man to halt, he refused, he took him into custody, he began shouting that the Patrol Special was "violating his rights".... and the "happy" crowd for various reasons joined in trying to halt the arrest, and then 8 SFPD squad cars, and 20 officers arrived to try and quell the situation. The man was taken to Mission Station, cited, and ordered to appear May 31st in Court. The incident was over at 4:45 PM, but the damage to the gay image was done by the scantily clothed homosexuals who had nothing better to do than hang around the intersection of 18th & Castro... "looking"! These kind of people just "hanging about" could cause violence for the merchants of the area this long hot summer, unless.....!!



D.A. Joseph Freitas

In the recent trials which have been observed by writers from this publication at the Hall of Justice, we have seen in two of them, gays being excluded from the jury simply because the defendant was gay. Should the District Attorney exclude blacks from a jury because a black was the defendant, the NAACP and the Urban League, not to mention the ACLU would have been up in arms over the matter. But in the so-called gay community, it created hardly a stir except from the Stonewall Gay Democratic Club of San Francisco and the Gay Voters league of Northern California. Gay would-be-politicians when told of it.... simply shrugged their shoulders, they couldn't be bothered, particularly after they asked what they (the defendants) were on trial for. The Office of the District Attorney denies that their men threw prospective jurors out merely because they were gay. But in one case, when a single hold out against the District Attorney turned out to be sympathetic or maybe even gay, one of the assistant District Attorney's blew his cool and let this newspapers reporters both know about it. Meaning, had he known the man was either gay or pro-gay, he would have thrown him off too. The District Attorney, who courts the gay votes, and recently hired as a gay liaison some young homophile, says that he does not allow discrimination. But several gays, from various gay groups who sat in on these simple misdemeanor male prostitution trials saw the actions of District Attorney Joseph Freitas thru his assistants, and they were a lot different than the words of his pretty-boy gay liaison or Freitas himself. Are gays less better than blacks? Why is the District Attorney giving us second class citizenship still, even tho he courts our vote.....this is his election year, and many gays are hoping it is his unelection year. We have an interesting piece on Joseph Freitas and his brands of "justice" on page 9, and our new Hall of Justice and City Hall reporter Elmer Wilhelm has some interesting things to say about what he has seen in the courts of "justice" by the District Attorney, the Vice Cops, and the Sheriff's office also, in his column on page 6 and 19. Gays have a right to be on a jury with a gay as a defendant, right or wrong? You decide that come November.

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## VICE ENTRAPMENT IS WORKING!?

### Gay lawyer beats D.A. Freitas again

In his unending persecution of the gay victimless crimes in our city, the District Attorney Joseph Freitas was soundly beaten once again by famed gay trial lawyer B.J. Beckwith at the Hall of (in) Justice, 850 Bryant in Dept. 17 with the Honorable Judge Louis Garcia presiding and a full jury of 12 women and men. The case was another misdemeanor, 647a solicitation for a lewd act; 647b prostitution and 315 Penal Code "keeper of a house of prostitution"; and 318 PC the use of such a place as in 315. The D.A., in an almost vendetta-like attitude, continues to prosecute any and all cases which the famed trial lawyer is the defense attorney. But in the case of John Deming, who was busted March 17th at Market and Taylor for the above charges, the handsome young vice cop (see left here) was defeated in his first trial effort to convict a gay. The assistant D.A., Bernard Walter appeared to be undergoing OJT (On The Job Training) as in the old War On Poverty programs. The handsome young vice cop was wearing a leather jacket, levis, boots, etc., when he told young Deming that "I'm available!". Attorney Beckwith charged "entrapment" which the jury obviously agreed with. The trial took almost seven days of taxpayers money on another victimless crime, and apparent Freitas crackdown on gays.



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## Views on the News

### CASTRO WARNING SIGNALS.....

The violence, limited, thank God, on May 12th in the Castro, is just a sign of the "exploiters" of the area and how far they are willing to go to "grab a headline" and to set the gays at odds with the police. Lord above knows we have problems with the police, in particular the Vice Squad. But, the radical leftists and their fellow travelers want us at odds with all people. The radicals of the left profited off the childish behavior of the "castro-clones" (as much as we dislike using that phrase) with the egging on of leftist opportunists and would-be-politicians who are merchants, it is a disgrace that responsible homosexuals and gays allowed this. The late arrival of the man who was not elected to represent the area Harry Britt, a socialist, who walked the streets with Chief Charles R. Gain (undermining the beat officers and men of Mission Station) did not enhance the image of gays, but only gave a "special privilege status" approach to gays, which is wrong. WE ARE NOT SPECIAL.....WE ARE EQUAL! Too many homosexuals (not gays, for there are only 500 of the gays in our city) think they are above most of the laws. The laws are on the "books" for better or worse. And if YOU DON'T LIKE EM, get out and change them legally at the ballot box, but not by hitting the cops with bottles, eggs and tomatoes, etc., and blowing those lousy ass whistles at the police. GROW UP is my advice to the newly arrived homosexuals. Come of our own mental closets (see story on page 2) and become a real gay person. Help to end the gay ghetto mentality which is so strong in our city.

### THE BLACK COMMUNITY VS THE GAY COMMUNITY

Those words sound terrible, but how true they are. Today in our so-called homosexual and/or gay community we do not have one single gay disco or bar as we have had in the past. A sign of integration? Bull!!! A sign that black gays have just given up trying, which is not to their credit. Look at the gay groups around the city and see how "white" they are! Look at the Harry Britt office and his Club (Milk Democrats) and even at the Toklas and Stonewall Clubs, they are pretty white, just as it the Concerned Republicans for Individual Rights. Look over at the infamous (now-a-days) Tavern Guild and it is pretty white, of yes, it do have a few Auntie Toms, but that is it! The Gay Softball League is the best example of integration in the homosexual/gay communities, at least for right now. A recent conference on blacks and gays held at the New Liberation United Presbyterian Church "Conflict or Cooperation" was badly misreported in the other gay publications, particularly in the Sentinel. Blacks have a legitimate concern. White gays are moving into San Francisco at a rapid rate and they are buying up poor and low income black housing and evicting the blacks and moving in white gays at a high rate. This is bad, really bad. The concerns of Emory Curtis, Arnold Townsend (WAPAC), Mary Helen Rogers of the Fillmore Community Development Corp. are of legitimate concern, just as are the concerns of Idaree Westbrook of the Black Leadership Forum. There needs to be greater communication and cooperation between the black and gay communities and quick. As said on the front page, the gays in the Castro are headed for a "long hot summer", but so is the entire city, racially, and this paper is on the side of Civil Rights, which means EQUALITY.....something the homosexual has not really learned too much about as of yet. To those who attended that Conference, the Sentinel writer Duke Smith of "leather fame" does NOT speak for all of us....for there are a lot of gays who are truly civil rights oriented and we hope to prove it to you in days to come



reverend raymond broshers  
.....editor.



(Editor's Note: In 1975, the California and U.S. Supreme Courts ruled that newspapers are responsible for contents in even "letters to the editor", this is why we reserve the legal right to edit or prohibit some letters. rb)

April 21, 1979

Dear Editor, While watching the evening news on TV I see where the infamous Mayor Frighstein and Police "Charlene" Gain (the one with the toupee) come on and said that they will investigate the violent incident at PEG's PLACE where our gay sisters were brutalized by several homophobic redneck goons with a macho-complex, (some) of whom called themselves "police officers". I found the statements made by Madame Morals Mayor utterly hypocritical, ridiculously wishy-washy and downright deceptive. She gave the impression of being superficially apologetic and hastened to add that she won't tolerate any harassment against any citizens of this city (and what does she call the "shit" that the local homophobes are laying on us gays in recent months?). He statements are nothing but political and rhetorical bullshit! After all, she is the one to blame for instigating in one way or another the recent rash of violent acts against gays. She is the same mayor who, in an article in the March issue of LADIES HOME JOURNAL stated, "San Francisco might set up a BACKLASH here if gays were offensive." and that "Gay people impose themselves on others." From her inflammatory and anti-gay statements, the local goon squad (the SFPD) and the street ruffians immediately assumed this to mean that it is "open season on fags" and dykes" thus all the criminal acts perpetrated upon gays being the end result.

The gay communities should beware and not fall prey to Mayor Frighstein's insidious and ruthless feminine wiles. She's one may to eye suspiciously for she definitely doesn't have the best of the gay community's interest in mind. But come election time next November, I know that every responsible gay citizen will not forget all the mental and physical damage that this woman has caused by her woman's rantings, and other damage she has inflicted upon us all the time she has so undeservingly held the post as Mayor. I also ask all gays to be leery of the Feinstein "political machine" and urge all gays and their non-gay friends to register to vote is the way to win in the next election. I know that the ballot box is the best for our political clout. Se sure to register and vote!

Respectfully you,  
EDWARD DOLLAK

April 25, 1979

Dear Frank Spekin, (Sportseditor) Yes, the softball season is definitely here with weather permitting, every weekend until July 1st. So pack a few sandwiches, a couple of b-t-e-p, and a 6 pack, and Mr. Love Unlimited from the precious night.... head for a softball diamond and catch some sun, esp. is the games are at Lang (Hayward) Field. Say, I lived in this town for 7 years and the amount of gay athletics are numerous. So many interesting forms of sports that an organization had to begin. That's where Ken Adams comes in and I must compliment him on his achievement, because that's what it is....it's a chance for gays to share in an athletic experience. (Yes, I'm a post graduate of the Advocate Experience.) How else was I suppose to learn the purpose of words? Frank, I also must hand it to you, your article has an interesting thrust on sportscasting....I like it. Your in the money so enjoy the season as much as I am.

I'm not familiar with whom you are so anytime that you are watching a softball game and it is the DELUXE playing....come over and say "hello", I'm the coach.

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May 5, 1979

Editor, Why is it that your paper and the others seem to be so far apart on basic gay lib goals. Your's seems to be closer to gay liberation goals, although you are pretty far right at times, but you are for individual rights. The other print crap we have already heard about or read about in the dailies. Why don't you all get together?

Jerry McNamara  
(Ed's note: Are you kiddin'?)

May 9, 1979

Dear Editor, I have been reading how slick and sly, wonder-boy Douglas Schmidt, the defense attorney for Dan White is, puts on a show and acts like a spoiled brat who gets his way, tries to prove that he can be above the law. First, he tries to have a Judge dismissed without any success. Second, he wants the final say in the selection of the jury members. And Third, he goes on to interrogate potential jury members and asks if any of them may be prejudiced against his client. By this time, wonder-boy Schmidt is basking in all his glory and proceeds to demand the dismissal of certain jury members because of their answers to his questions on homosexuality, psychiatry and the death penalty.

I will bet anybody a bottle of mouthwash that whiz-kid Schmidt never raised questions on anti-homosexuality to the jury members for this is the type of jury members Schmidt wanted on the panel and this would work beautifully in killer White's favor. By this time, I am sure you have figured out how clever and devious smart-pants Schmidt can be. Schmuck Schmidt then goes on to spread his bullshit of wanting only unbiased and impartial heterosexuals as jury members and then shows his own bigotry by dismissing a member for being a homosexual (note: D.A. Joe Freitas does that all the time in the Muni Courts in gay prostitution cases). Schmidt's flagrant display of blatant moral hypocrisy leaves me cold.

Editor, the whole thing makes me pissed off! Why weren't gays selected as jury members? After all, this trial is somehow financed by city taxpayers and gays ARE taxpayers too!! Such a miscarriage of justice is unspeakable and us gays will not forget this shit come election time in November. Anybody with half a brain can very easily predict the outcome of this comic farce they call a trial is going to be. Justice will be meted out alright....but it will be for those of wealth, social position, influence and power. Friends of killer White have all these things and are using them on his behalf. Good ole Danny boy will come out vindicated and victorious. Talk about double standard of justice indeed. Editor, as you well know, we have had two earthquakes in the past three weeks. Could this be a sign or message coming from the graves of Harvey Milk and Mayor Moscone?

Are they clamoring for justice? I say.... YES!

respectfully your,  
ED DOLLAK

# Gays' Killer Killed.....!

Slayer of Gloster & Niemeier dies in Tacoma!

ONLY  
500 GAYS  
in S.F.?

It has been estimated that only 500 true gays exist in San Francisco, the others are but various varieties of homosexuals who give a damn for only themselves or their next "trick". The word "GAY" means some super-special, and so few homosexuals fit into that category. "Gay" means to be completely free, liberated, that means mom, pop, brother, sister, cousin, job boss and neighbors all know that you are a fag or a dyke, and you are NOT ashamed of it to where you have to hide behind a bottle or inside pills (drugs) etc. That being "GAY" means you do care about the other people who are homosexuals and are being oppressed. In our city, obviously.... there could not be more than 500 at the outside most GAYS here. Going to a bar does NOT make you gay. Sucking a cock does NOT make you gay. Going to a bath house does NOT make you gay! Are you beginning to comprehend???

As has been written, our city has become a "refuge camp" for homosexuals from all over America. They flock here like so many "refugees". And instead of being who and what they are, and how they should fit into society....they fall into the bath scene almost immediately. To them, the bars, the baths, the orgies are the only things that are important. But they are NOT LIBERATED....they are still caught up inside their own mind's closet, which is worse than the one they think they escaped from by coming here from "Podunk, USA". The "closet they are in now is far worse, far more deadly. They have allowed themselves to become part of the gay-sick ghetto scene. Some say it was formed out of "self-protection", once that was needed but obviously it is not needed now-a-days. Ghetts breed exploitation....by landlords....by bars....by so-called leaders....so-called gay politicians (who tell you that YOU HAVE TO vote gay, which is bullshit). The Ghetto is profitable for people like those who control the Tavern Guild. They want to make sure you stay good n' boozed up. They don't want any alternatives to the bars to succeed....ever! And a "coronation" is not an "alternative".

Gay Liberation must become a daily thing in your lives....you must talk about it....work with ALL people....screw political philosophies....become yourself FIRST! Learn who you really are!

G.L.A. (Gay Liberation Alliance) r. broshers, prez

Kathleen Umrein, asst. D.A.

## D.A.'s Office is "Throwing the Book" at GAYS!

April 26, outside of Department 10, at the Hall of Justice, in which Judge Lucy McCabe was presiding, was a time of great excitement, as the above woman, representing D.A. Joe Freitas, who considers himself the arch-foe of the editor of this paper, had the Judge allegedly, order two deputies, G. Gonzales and R. Bralin, to take into custody the editor of this paper and seize his camera which had just take the above picture of her in the hallway on her way into prosecute the Richard Elmon Male Model Agency case. Umrein said that the Press Pass issued by the SFPD Chief of Police Gain was not enough I.D. The Judge, by ordering such an attempt which was halted by the help of Elmer Wilhelm of the Stonewall Democratic Club who was with the editor, and Officer Henry Friedlander who came down from the Chief's Office to halt the shoving around of the editor. Bralin bragged in front of our editor and Wilhelm, that "I enjoy beating up gays!" He also said that he had "been a deputy too long" which we obviously agree. The District Attorney, has used THREE Assistant D.A.'s in an effort to defeat the attorney in the Elmon case at just the preliminary hearing. The editor believes that Jack Campbell people are behind the Freitas efforts in the Richard Elmon case, indirectly.



## OIL CAN HARRY'S

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LARRY HENDRICKS, KILLER OF FOUR, and POSSIBLY MORE, APPREHENDED AND KILLED BY HIS INTENDED VICTIM IN DEATH STRUGGLE EAST OF TACOMA!

May 1st was a day in the life of PFC Tolvo Redditt, a soldier stationed at Fort Lewis, near Tacoma Washington that the 21 year old youth will never forget. Redditt was hitching back to the base when the black van of Larry Hendricks, 34 year old sex counselor at Western Washington State Hospital and a one-time convicted sex offender, pulled up next to him with a pistol and pointed to Redditt and told him to get in, where upon he proceeded to handcuff and manacle PFC Redditt at gunpoint. Hendricks was only 5'5" and had a "thing" about his size, and was upset about it when people made fun of him, the CRUSADER learned from hospital officials in Tacoma.

Hendricks was also an antique dealer in Tacoma, owning an antique shop, The Merchant Prince, 111 Tacoma Rd. North. Hendricks made frequent "buying" trips to California, and San Francisco, where he obviously met the two slain Californians, Thomas Walla Gloster, 31 of San Francisco, whose nude gun-riddled body was found in Tehama County near Red Bluff, and the completely nude body, also shot up, of Richard Harland Niemeier of Los Angeles, whose body was found in Napa County. Niemeier was visiting San Francisco when he was kidnapped and slain.

The ballistics tests from the guns of Hendricks have roven beyond any doubt that the killer of Niemeier and Gloster were the same guns belonging to Hendricks, according to both Napa County Sheriff's officials and Pierce County, Washington officials. But, back to the antique dealer's pick-up-kidnapping of the PFC....after manacled the 21 year old soldier he drove him into a remote area east of Roy, Washington, down a remote logging road, and turned off into the woods at a point where a tree had fallen across the road. After stopping the truck, Hendricks got out, forced Redditt out and knocked him around with a billyclub 24 inches long. He pushed him over to a grave belonging to another body, whose face had been shot in and the genitals had been shot off. Hendricks threatened Redditt that this was what he was to happen to Redditt if he did not co-operate with him (Hendricks). This was all happening after 4 AM on the morning of the 1st of May. Hendricks proceeded to torture Redditt with a whip, hitting him more with a club, and burning him with cigarettes. Hendricks all this time had Redditt tied to a tree. He released Redditt and told him to lie next to the dead body, which later turned out to be 22 year old Bertram Zahnie. After releasing Redditt to lay down next to the Zahnie body, Redditt, knowing that he was going to be killed anyway, kicked out with his foot, hitting Hendricks in the face, knocking him off balance, and proceeded to struggle for the gun. It went off, and there were powder burns on both of their hands proving there had been a struggle for the gun. Redditt won the gun away from his would-be-murderer, and shot him, three times, killing Hendricks... but Hendricks body was still moving so Redditt took another of Hendricks' guns and shot him with this shotgun and then beat him until he was sure the insane killer was dead. Pierce County Sheriffs told the CRUSADER as did the TACOMA NEWS TRIBUNE that Hendricks had seven guns in the van, in addition to the various torture equipment and the leather masks/hoods.

Redditt told the TACOMA NEWS TRIBUNE that Hendricks had sexually molested his body but later changed that story according to U.S. Army officials. Redditt had made his escape from the area near the van of Hendricks, dazed, bleeding badly, and he crashed into a fence of a farm where upon the Sheriff's office was called. When the deputies arrived at the death scene, they found Hendricks dead in an all-black leather suit. There was items letting them know that he had purchased the leather from a shop here in San Francisco.

Deputies are still looking for more bodies in the area, having confirmed the two gay California slayings were the work of Larry Hendricks. There are now efforts to try to tie together the several gay slayings in northern San Mateo County which were attributed to someone who is now dead, but evidence now believed by many will trace Larry Hendricks to these killings. San Francisco Homicide officers refuse to become involved and the San Mateo officers say they will when they have "the time". Redditt told reporters at the TACOMA NEWS TRIBUNE that the sadist Hendricks only screamed out once after he shot him, "You're killing me! You're killing me!" Then Hendricks finally stopped moving. Many gays feel in San Francisco feel that the PFC Redditt is a hero to which Redditt replied, "I don't feel I am a hero. I don't feel I feel all that remotse."

The TACOMA NEWS TRIBUNE did a fantastic job of indepth coverage of the trial, in particular, reporters Bob Lane, Vern Shomshak, Joseph Turner, and Kerry Webster. Friends and neighbors of the slain S&M killer Hendricks all reported shock and dismay upon learning their neighbor was a killer and an S&M homosexual killer at that. How Hendricks ever became a sex counselor at Washington State Hospital, is a surprise to all the reporters including us here, after he had such a serious felony conviction before for an abduction and S&M beating sexual arrest.

The slain killer had amassed \$40,000 in a savings account, owned the antique store, the van, the guns of course.

Authorities are checking with police in various parts of California, Oregon and Washington in an effort to help solve other unsolved slayings which are similar to the ones which Hendricks has committed in the past.

PFC Redditt is being kept away from the press at Fort Lewis army base right now. His right arm is broken, he has cuts, bruises and cigarette burns all over his body. The San Francisco Tavern Guild president Wayne Friday has said that his group will not give any of the reward that group offered for the killer of Neimeier and Gloster based upon the technicality that Hendricks was not arrested and convicted. Grief!!!!

## Gays reward GI in a sex killing

May 10, 1979, EXAMINER

The San Francisco Gay Tavern Association and a group of motorcycle clubs are sending a \$2,500 reward to Pfc. Tolvo Redditt, a Fort Lewis, Wash. soldier who police said killed a sex murderer in self-defense.

Posting of the reward was confirmed by the Rev. Ray Broshers, editor of the San Francisco Crusader, a gay newspaper: "We are deeply grateful to the private, who is a hero really."

The association, representing about half of San Francisco's gay bars, and the bikers collected the money over the last few months as a reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the killer of Tom Gloster, 31, a local gay. His body was found in Tehama County last February.

Authorities determined that Larry Hendricks, 23, a known rapist, was responsible for Gloster's killing. Hendricks had been working as a sex therapist in a Washington state mental hospital in Tacoma.

Authorities said Hendricks was shot and killed May 1 by Redditt, 21, after Hendricks abducted the soldier at gunpoint near Fort Lewis, drove him to a remote spot and beat and tortured him. Redditt managed to get free and killed Hendricks after a struggle, authorities said.

## T.G. Prexy Cancels any reward?

The article at the left here is from the San Francisco Examiner. In it it explains only that the San Francisco Tavern Guild had posted a reward....at least that is what is attributed to the Rev. Raymond Broshers. It is clear but to the president of the Tavern Guild. He said that the Rev. Broshers was speaking for Tavern Guild. Well, any first year Jr. High student can read that the Rev. said what he said was about the killer and as a representative of his/this publication, not the Tavern Guild....the Guild president is angry....said that the Rev. was speaking for the Guild, and the Guild wouldn't "pay that asshole one fucking dime." Plus alot more colorful language which the Guild president is known for. To any 8th grader they can see that the Rev. only confirmed the Guild posted a reward for the killer.

## Theatre

Carls

FOLLOW SPOT

Carl Driver

"SRO" PREDICTED.....

"MALE RITES", two one acts, gay, presented by Theatre Rhinoceros (at the Goodman Bldg., Theatre, Geary, just west of Van Ness, call 626-1921 after 3 PM for info) are two vastly different plays on somewhat the same subject: the search for love in a rather less than kind world.

"DOWNTOWN LOCAL", first on the program, is the deeper but less well written of the two (fifteen to twenty minutes of ideas expanded to forty-five, mostly through repetition) uses symbolism (a cold, lonely subway platform as life, waiting for the train that never seems to come as constantly looking for love, even tho one night) effectively, but relies too heavily on insanity (two of the four characters) to make a really strong statement.....Michael Hayden is impressive as "Orlando", a young, not-so-innocent but still hopeful street kid (and would be even more effective if one had not seen him in "WEST STREET GANG" constantly using the same acting tricks and mannerisms, although, admittedly the two characters are much alike, both young, underprivileged Puerto Ricans. ....Martin Xero is also most impressive as "Vesper", a semi-drag queen recently out of Bellevue Mental Hospital, but he comes on so strong at his first entrance and continually plays at so high a level that the performance loses through lack of contrast. ....Duane E. Cropper is more than adequate as "Dennis", another borderline insanity case, but needs to show more inner fire. ....Blaine Sousa is fine in the rather shadowy role of "Georgie-Porgie", "Vesper's" newly re-married husband.

waiting the more effective However, it is..... "RICHMOND JIM" that is going to both draw the crowds and, at the same time, raise eyebrows and probably hell in general. If one finds male nudity or exceptionally frank discussions of sex acts, usual and unusual, and role playing offensive, they should give it a wide miss. This is just about the most open and basic play I've ever seen and while there are no explicit sex acts performed on stage, (nor does anyone get an erection) that's about all that's left to imagination. The play opens with handsome, young and innocent "Jim" (.....Randy Bennett, and what an appropo name his is for the part) on his first night in New York on vacation from Richmond, Virginia and bearded, hairy and macho "Mike" (.....Joe Capetta) in bed together.....in the all together. THAT is only the beginning.....as Mike first talks about how great it was, then about the various less usual acts, toys and role playing and finally initiates the more than willing Jim, said initiation hilariously interrupted by the arrival of a marvelous character (.... Charlie Hufford) whose sustained comic relief (and believe me, this is one time when "many a truth is spoken in jest") is a great counterpoint to the realism of the rest of the play. All three actors are superb, each giving a gem of believability in projecting a simple character.

Perhaps the single most interesting aspect of this production is that although intensely realistic and basic.....no euphemisms here; at one point Mike puts a ring on Jim, only not on his finger, in full view of the audience.....I, who completely avoid porno shows because I find them extremely boring, found this play enormously exciting without being the least bit vulgar or pornographic. With a less talented cast and a less astute director than Guy Bishop..... "RICHMOND JIM" could easily degenerate into nothing but a sex show. Instead it is a powerful slice-of-life drama, perhaps not everyone's cup of tea, but clearly pointing out everyone's undeniable right to self expression.

There are deeper levels to the play; interesting statements about youth and innocence and how quickly both can disappear as well as the varying aspects of what one considers a compliment. ....Larry Baugniot has done a great job with minimal sets and props especially in evoking the subway platform.....Alan Estes designed the effective lighting and .....Mike Capizzi did the equally effective sound.

## COLLEGE HUMOR ON BROADWAY

"Asparagus Valley Cultural Society" (at the newly re-furnished Phoenix Theatre, 430 Broadway, Tuesday thru Sunday, 397-3700 for info) bills itself as "An Unexplainable Evening" which, like the show itself, has a smattering of truth but is mostly presumptuous. Three young entertainers met in an area of Massachusetts known as "Asparagus Valley", hence the name, and wondered how they could combine their talents, hence the show. There are some fine moments during the evening.....most notably the mime



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however, just off-beat enough to stand a good chance of developing a cult following and, unquestionably, there are those who will find it hilarious.

A GOOD TIME IS HAD BY ALL..... at "You're A Good Man, Charlie Brown" (at the Alcazar, 850 Geary Street, Tues.-Sun., 775-7100 for info) the revival of the long running musical based on the comic strip "Peanuts". There is not a single memorable song, with the exception of "Henry Johnson as 'Snoopy' in his excellent "Supertime" tarentella, the production numbers are soon forgotten, the set is simplicity itself and yet.....almost everyone will enjoy every minute of the show. On the surface this seems merely a pleasant evening's entertainment, but there is a great



Alicia Alonso and Jorge Requevil in the Ballet Nacional de Cuba's production of "Spartacus Pas De-Deux".

deal more to it than that the cast is young, talented, lively, and appealing; more than that, many of the vignettes strike home..... (I wonder if any writer can watch Charlie Brown (....Michael Grebnau) procrastinate on composing a theme for school and not squirm inside). This show's great appeal is that despite Charlie Brown's never ending frustrations, despite Lucy's constant crabbiness, despite Linus' inability to grow up and Schroeder's musical erudition in a world of bubble gum mentalities, the show offers a glimpse of a childhood world of innocence that we all would like to think we had and desperately hope is still somehow possible. WELL RECOMMENDED!!!!

## FINE PRODUCTION, SAD PLAY

"The Ballad of the Sad Cafe" (at the SF Rep. Theatre, 18th & Collingwood, Thurs.-Sun., 863-4859 for info) offers fine acting.....one of the great state fights that I've ever seen (special kudos to Ellen Ernest for her staging of it as well as to Linda Po- well and Michael Ernest for her only making it seem realistic but for achieving the almost impossible: that a powerful woman could believably win an all out fight against a strong man.) Fred Hartman's marvellously mood producing set (although the night I was there the theatre was actually chilly; it should be uncomfortably hot so as to enhance the feel of the play) and a highly competent company under Michelle Trauffaut's finely paced direction. Unfortunately, what the play doesn't offer is a believable script. Although the play is by Edward Albee..... based on a novella of the same name by Carson McCullers, the mood of the characters are almost steinbeckian; poor, shiftless people leading meaningless lives of intense boredom. Dramatic things happen but it is in the characterizations that the script falls down: as portrayed, they would not act as the author has them do. Forget the flaws in the script and go see the

brilliant acting. Linda D. Powell is nothing less than superb!.....as the tough but lonely woman who should have been born a man.....Robert Lerman is great as her misshapen cousin, the obverse side of the coin to Richard III's deep seated evilness and, especially.....Sandra Cannon in the extremely difficult role of the Narrator; seemingly a gimmick by the author in an attempt to bridge the unbridgeable holes in the script. Yet the warmth and, at the same time, impartiality of her performance nearly pull it off.

## A MUSICAL WITH POSSIBILITIES

The biggest drawback to "The Starting 5" (at the Hippodrome, 412 Broadway, Tues.-Sun., 982-2343 for info) was the pre-opening publicity stating it was on its way to Broadway (NY). Not surprisingly, this led people to expect a polished, tight, and highly finished show, which it isn't!

On the other hand it is a pleasant, amusing and upbeat musical which should appeal to those huge numbers who are into the disco beat. While the characters are not drawn deeply, such isn't necessary in a light musical and on the whole, they are easily believable.....although I personally stick at being asked to believe that any high school basketball star who is five foot six would be offered a million dollar contract to turn pro (on which most of the plot hinges).

For the most part, the cast perform well with outstanding jobs turned in by Kevin Hall as "Dunk" whose winning personality projects beautifully as well as Robert Jones and Harvey Lacy as "Large" and "Small", two of the most engaging con-men seen since Runyon died.

This story of personal triumphs and tragedies of a high school basketball team, their girls, coach and his family, has charm, and is exceedingly visually attractive and, in a time, when most high school students delight in putting down their parents, one superb line: "Mother may not always be right, but she's always Mother." (And thank you Admiral Decatur.) RECO RECOMMENDED!!!!

## SOME FINE ACTING.....

A few weeks ago I stated in this column that although I didn't consider that a play being an author's first was sufficient reason to attend it, I did admire companies that are willing to take a chance on unpublished playwrights and/or unproduced plays. Consequently, I'm happy to say that Martin Epstein's "AUTOBIOGRAPHY OF A PEARL DIVER" (at the Magic Theatre, Ft. Mason, Thurs.-Sun., 885-9928 for info) is an interesting, attention holding play with some very fine acting.....and, unfortunately, some that is not so fine.

The balance, however, is heavily on the plus side with Peter Coyote as a mechanic who tries to repair lives as well as cars and ends up getting his own life straightened out. Linda Hoy, as a flighty, not terribly intelligent housewife of too many years is very fine as she brings pathos as well as comedy to the best written role in the show. The other two roles, her husband (Abe Kalish) and a policeman friend (Rick Prindle) were intended, I would guess, to be satirical but the fine edge of satire is missing from the actors' performances, both are too heavy-handed, and are easily forgettable. Michael Kroschel's set is interesting but because of its depth and the theatre's three quarter round seating, has some very bad sight lines in the side sections nearest the walls. Seats are not reserved so get there early.....and put a coat or program on the excellent ones in the center section.

## INTERESTING "STRAIGHT" BUT.....

Harold Finter's "The Lover" (at the Intersection, 756 Union St., 751-2168 for info) is an interesting, even compelling play about sexual role playing in love and marriage. Basically a two character drama it concerns an upper-middle class married couple who openly and, avowedly, without jealousy, acknowledge each others' affairs with loves. Overly pretentious direction in the opening scenes.....director Robert Kipper's theory seems to be that Pinter is Art with a capital "A" and he's

determined to make sure the audience doesn't forget it.....slow them down but once we meet the lover and mistress (hint, hint) both the pace and the audience's interest pick up immeasurably. Richard Deyd is excellent as the "City" (British for Montgomery Street) executive whose opening line is to ask his wife if her lover will be coming that afternoon.....the script is filled with delightful sexual puns and innuendos. Janice Crow is fine as the wife but tends to be a little too bitch, especially in the opening scenes. The plot twists and turns but is better left untold. Suffice to say, that fine as the play is, I couldn't help thinking how much greater it could be if done with two male lovers rather than a husband and wife. Here's hoping someone will try such a production soon.

## A SLAP THAT MISSED

"He Who Gets Slapped" (at the Berkley Rep., Tues.-Sun., 845-4700 for info) is an intensely moody tragedy with comic overtones (or a comedy that ends tragically?). In either case the script swings between keen insights into personality/motivation and banality with such thunderous rapidity that one tends to become more confused than interested.

This is a circus play, never an easy thing to bring off, and on the technical level it is a fine production: lights, costumes set and, for the most part, acting are in the very good to excellent range, but, due either to the script or the actor's interpretations of their parts, the two leads, (Don West in the title role of He and Nicole Baptiste as the bareback rider with whom he falls in love with). In musicals or light comedies "stick" characters can be accepted but in a play of this attempted depth, this lack of believable likability and therefore, One's interest.

## DANCE SECTION DANCE SECTION

NO BALLETOMAIN I! I think it unfortunate that a few of the many devoted aficionados of the ballet have given it, at worst, a reputation for snobishness and, at best, a feel-

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## INTERNATIONAL BALLET FESTIVAL HERE

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The Festival is being presented by the Fine Arts Development and specific info as to individual programs and stars may be obtained by calling their box office at 421-1000.

## FUN FLAMENCO

The Theatre Flamenco Company produced an exceedingly delightful program at the Victoria Theatre earlier this month, highlighted by Adele Clara and Miguel Santos' world premiere of Regionalismos" set to the "Tonados" music of Joaquim Nin-Culmell, whose "Cyrano" is currently being danced by the San Francisco Ballet. The music is a series of short pieces based upon Spanish folk dance forms and the piece is more low keyed (in parts extremely humorous as "human" horses wear their tails at the audience) than one usually finds in flamenco. The remainder of the program, however, was more traditional, vibrantly colorful with much rousing stamping of heels and clicking of castanets. This small company puts on many bi-lingual programs for schools, not only in the city but on tour throughout a wide area and is rapidly building itself a richly deserved reputation. Here's hoping another theatre program will be forthcoming soon.

## THE NIGHT CLUB SCENE.....THE NIGHT CLUB SCENE.....

Double congratulations to Ruth Hastings and Company: for winning, and DE-SERVING, three Cabaret Gold Awards AND for being completely sold out a week before their two week run of "Jacques Brel" opened in Brussels. Yes, that IS Brussels, Belgium.

Caught another of JOSE's Black Cat Operas at the Chez Jacques (California and Hyde, call 775-7574 for info) this time in "Rigoletto". I can't understand why this unique and really amusing show is not drawing better. There is one more for the month on the 21st "La Boehème" and in June, "Aida".

Ken Vega's original musical, "There Was A Young Lady", after an extended run mid-week at the Chez Jacques will move into its own theatre, (The Old Venician Bakery, 2202 Powell, a block from the North Point Theater, with performances Thursday-Saturday at 8:30 PM, call 956-9066 for info). Good songs.....a vibrant and talented cast and almost certainly greatly increased production values with a larger stage and theatre seating make this a real "sleeper".

'Caught only one set of Anna Klinger at the Open Cafe Theatre (Fridays at 10 PM, at 441 Clement at 6th Avenue, call 386-3086 for info) but what a great voice she has. Too good really, for the regulation "old favorites" which comprised most of that set, but when she went into "Summertime" her range and operatic training made it a showstopper!!!!

Also, caught just one set of Martha Lorin at Fanny's (4230 - 18th off Castro, Sun-Mon at 10, 621-5570 for info) Well known Broadway show tunes from years back plus her intimate style as she wanders among the tables, or sits with one, make for a most pleasant time.

## CARL DRIVER'S FOLLOW SPOT

## ADDITIONAL GAY ENTERTAINMENT SPOTS.....

There are drag shows each night at the Sound of Music, 162 Turk Street, which are one way of passing the evening. Something different and sometimes very good. The entertainers mime-songs. The style and costumes offer you a treat oft times. Service by the bar is poor at best.

There are also drag shows at the Landmark each Friday, Saturday and Sunday evenings at 45 Turk Street. They offer The Bill White Revue, starring Madam Leslie.

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## Easter Picnic.....

On April 15, 1979, the San Francisco facility of the United States Mission, Inc., and the Church of the Androgyne, gay religious groups, expressed the regenerative meaning encompassed of our Easter Holy Day by offering many local, elderly persons of low income, a pleasant and entertaining afternoon in the Stow Lake picnic area of the Golden Gate Park. They were transported via chartered bus to the spot. The elderly guests at the event enjoyed a hearty, sit-down picnic lunch served to them by volunteers, consisting of freshly grilled hamburgers, hot dogs, macaroni salad, assorted pastries, watermelons, soft drinks, and of course, colored Easter eggs. Each attending elderly person received a hand assembled Easter basket, containing candies, fresh fruit, and the traditional Easter eggs, along with gift items handed out of clothing and grocery items. The oldest man and oldest woman in attendance received a special Easter basket and gifts in honor of their advanced age. This outreach is a part of the on-going commitment by the U.S. Mission/Church of the Androgyne to enlarge the scope of understanding among all of God's creatures, gay and otherwise. Rev. Donald Dill, pastor.

Some of the elderly shown alighting from the chartered bus at the event.

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# Trials & TRIBULATIONS

"A SOCIAL & POLITICAL COMMENTARY"



Elmer Wilhelm

Recently, at the much heralded meeting of gay people invited to City Hall to meet with Mayor Dianne "Ayatollah" Feinstein.....Steven Walters, president of the Alice B. Wonderclub, aired a too commonly held view that only gays in some position of power can effectively represent gay people. He illustrated it by comparing a possible gay person's future performance as a Police Commissioner to Commissioner Jane McKaskle Murphy's past performance. The comparison was idiocy in it's self! Commissioner Jane Murphy is the first woman ever appointed to the San Francisco Police Commission in this city, and she rates an "A+" citywide for performance, so if Steve Walters wants to knock off points for her heterosexuality, she'd still deserve an "A-" from the gay community. Gays like heterosexuals just don't come with guarantees on performance.

Taking Steve's though one step beyond.....notice, I didn't say one step forward, because it isn't..... Going this step beyond like many have: Gays express thoughts such as..... "Castro belongs to the gays".....and "We're going to take over this city". Mob rule is what these people are supporting, and that is what happened at 18th & Castro Streets last Saturday, May 12th. Remember, that without any laws, we, as individuals, will be defenseless and there can be no safety for any society and especially a gay one! I'm convinced the great majority of people in this town don't want to see this city become any "gay"er! This is not to say that more gay people can't SETTLE DOWN HERE! That feeling reflects itself in many places, for instance both daily papers whether by deliberate intent or subconsciously, present a pattern that has disturbed me for some time. So much good news is either not reported or played down. I'm not speaking of gay events. I'm referring to events happening throughout this country and right here in our own city and bay area; events that would be informative to the non-gay readership about significant support ascertained in the development of respect for our aspirations toward the equal protection of the law, that every individual citizen is entitled to under this country's Constitution.

It wasn't until recent times that our sexual rights as a member of the human family were legalized. It was changed for the most part by those who did not want to live outside the law, so our sexuality was made legal. In the gay community, many other activities outside the law.....were condoned...or were tolerated! Much of it involved gays EXPLOITING gays. We did not afford one another the benefits offered by law. If now, we don't begin to emphasize our respect for law.....and act responsibly as individuals, WE WILL ALL SUFFER!

Today, there appears to be no leaders in the SF gay communities. At best, there are a few activists and a significant number of political opportunists. Gay people are in serious difficulties and we have much that must be done!

For one, we must REMOVE D.A. Joseph Freitas as District Attorney this fall. These last two weeks I've spent observing trials involving gays at the Hall of Justice. A common injustice in this country has been the black man unable to get a fair trial when he is accused of accosting a white woman. He always received either the death penalty or a long jail sentence. Likewise, WHITE JOCKS, were freed after murdering another man simply because his testimony that a sexual advance had been made towards him. These last two weeks we've witnessed the trial of a "young jock" by the name of DAN "lily" WHITE: a confessed murderer of Harvey Milk, an avowed homosexual, who smirked at Dan along with George Moscone, heterosexual. Who has made no secret of his friendship with gay people. The District Attorney, first of all, excluded ANY GAY person or any one who had supported gay rights from jury duty. Did he exclude from the jury those who might harbor ill-will towards gays? Hell no!!! This all-American JOCK, former Policeman, and Fireman, and "law n order man's" sweetness and wholesomeness flooded the courtroom and remained unchecked. The over abundance of sweetness became a key role in his defense. In fact "sugar" itself becomes the culprit. How did a BOX OF TWINKIES CREATE A DING DON? This became the major question left unanswered!

Charles McCabe recently came under strong attack by some gays for an article that expressed his observations concerning Dan White and his crime. McCabe said that Dan is a hero to some. This trial reinforces what Charles McCabe found when he took this city's pulse. No murder trial in this city's history has afforded a self-confessed double murderer MORE CONSIDERATION!.....than his victims and their loved ones. Meanwhile on the second floor of the Hall of Justice, two other trials were taking place with much different results. One case, the D.A. was prosecuting a gay arrested by a young hunky member of the Vice "entrapment" Squad, intent on removing Mayor Dianne "Ayatollah" Feinstein's unwanted inhabitant from this city's Tenderloin area. This victim was arrested for standing on the street while harboring unclean thoughts. They literally threw the book at him! Again gay people were kept off the jury by a young recent graduate of law who works dirt cheap, he is doing it for experience, and they charge the defendant with prostitution. He has had two court victories (the attorney) and he was ready to string up a third with this easy one. Had it not been for B.J. (continued on page 19.....)



## STONEWALL Notes

STONEWALL GAY DEMOCRATIC CLUB SF. CENSURES DISTRICT ATTORNEY JOSEPH FRIETAS & AND FRANCISCO POLICE.....

At the May 6th meeting of the Stonewall Democratic Club, the membership of that group voted a resolution to censure on District Attorney Joseph Freitas, stemming from an April 26th incident in the hallway of the Hall of Justice at 850 Bryant Street, when one of the District Attorneys assistants, tried to halt the 1st Amendment of the Constitution, "freedom of the press" by having a gay reporter's camera seized unsuccessfully and refusing to honor the press pass of the SFPD. As a result of the same incident a member of the SFPD Vice Unit became involved and the Club voted a letter of censure be sent to both the Chief of Police and the Mayor as the Vice cop in front of a Stonewall Club member, referred to the reporter as a "fruit".

The Stonewall Democrats also voted to change the time of the meetings to the first Monday of each month at 7 PM. Club president Robert Schmidt, an attorney in the District Attorney's office, supported the change, stating that such a change will reflect even better in the growing attendance of the Club which is the fastest growing gay Democratic Club in northern California as of now.

Attorney Arlo Smith, Sr., a member of the Attorney General's office of California, was voted the Club's Parliamentarian without any dissent.

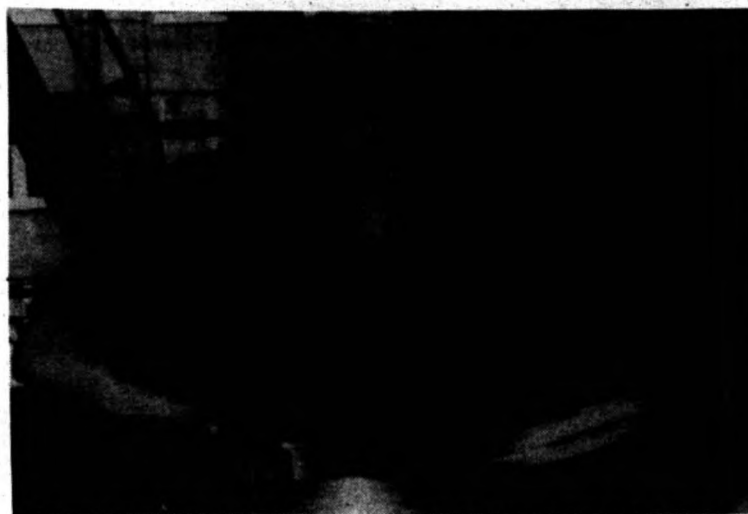
Alton McLean, Jr. was voted the new treasurer of the Club also.

The Club joined other gay groups in endorsing the 7 points of the San Franciscans For Affordable Housing. The Gay Voters league, and the Gay Liberation Alliance of San Francisco already have endorsed the measure.

The Club voted to look into the lack of reportage of donations into the fund to pay off the bills of the late Supervisor Harvey Milk.



## Old Folks Lunch BIG-T.L.



Michael, one of our volunteers at the monthly free luncheon and party for the old folks of the Tenderloin, is shown serving up some of the smiling 42



gals and guys who were present. Held at the dining hall of the Christ Chapel, with the Rev. Ray Broshears doing all the cooking himself, and Michael doing the other hard work, the two of them served firsts, seconds and even thirds to the 42 elderly people present, and then the Rev. called a bingo (free) in which everyone left with a gift, for sure. Genevieve McKay at the right of Geraldine Johnson played us a few tunes on the piano which we all enjoyed. The next luncheon is on the 23rd of May and funds are needed to help bring this one off even better. At the April 30th event, ham and more ham was served up..... as were sweet potatoes, corn, peas, and green beans, as well as a lettuce and tomato salad with a fabulous dressing. Chocolate pudding and cookies were served for desert with some seconds there too. This makes the event special in the lives of the Tenderloin/downtown elderly people, for they get something they cannot get on a daily basis. Rev. Broshears began the luncheons (free) back in 1969 for the elderly of the area and for the most part, the gays have helped to support them. As Rev. Ray said, "When one of the bitch ole queens sez he is not going to give any money to it at our auctions, it doesn't hurt me in the least, but it sure hurts the old people.....I hope they can sleep well with their bitchy conscience!" But, fortunately these people are in the minority. Bless you all!

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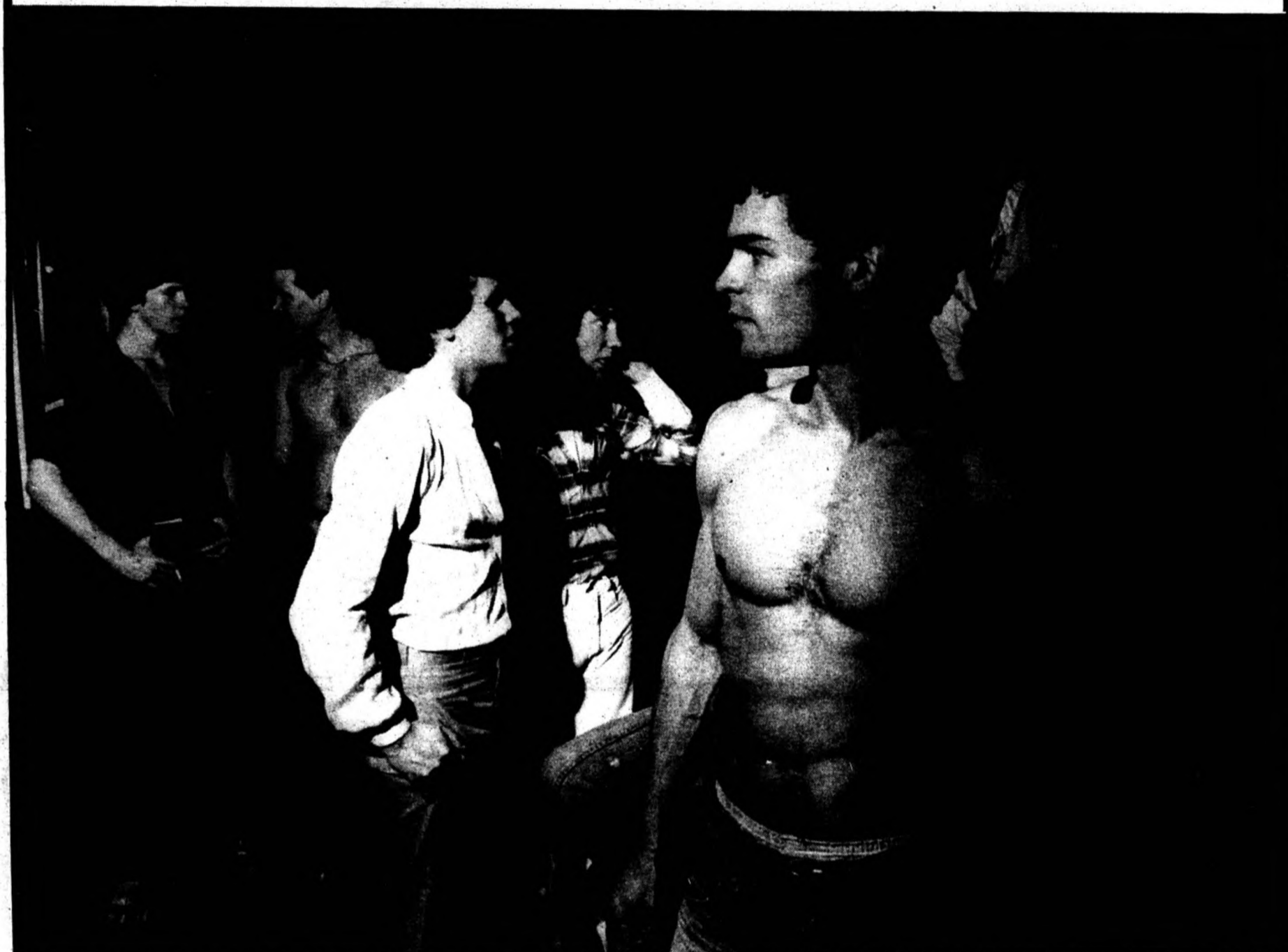
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The same people who make the laws, hire the cops! That's a fact, plain pure and simple! The cops enforce many laws which are unfair to the poor people, to the low income and middle class people, but favor the wealthy....that's a fact! The Tenderloin.....San Francisco at it's realest moments, is under attack by the cops, who are ordered to do what they are doing by FRAU FEINSTEIN & HERR FREITAS of the SF FOURTH REICH! They represent the wealthy! They represent property owners. FRAU FEINSTEIN'S boyfriend has clients who have holdings in the Tenderloin, and they would like to make lotsa money offa this area. That is why HERR FREITAS, your are FORCED TO MOVE OUT! which says if you are arrested on 647b, and you live in the Tenderloin, you are FORCED TO MOVE OUT!

That form created by HERR FREITAS and his Criminal Justice lawyers (justice for the wealthy) is illegal. But as we said above, read page thirteen for that story. It is right up there with Herr Freitas and his actions with the "Wheaties Fiasco" and the underwear ads in the local dailies, not to mention his fun-times with People's Temple.

HERR FREITAS and FRAU FEINSTEIN have only used the Tenderloin for publicity. This is wrong. They have sent their "boys in blue" to terrorize the gays who live in the Tenderloin, trying to force them to move out, particularly the racial minorities. And black gays abound in the Tenderloin.....it's the only place where they can really afford to live. Its the only place where poor people can afford to live.....that is why so many thousands of old folks live there. But, the wealthy realtors, who back HERR FREITAS and FRAU FEINSTEIN, are concerned.....they aren't making enough money.....so now, they want to change the Tenderloin into a fancy high rise real estate development.....or sure, they will put up some units for the old folks, but for the most part, it will all be for the wealthy, after all, look what Guenter Kaussen did to the Central Towers!!!!

Police terror includes "entrapment", while: of course HERR FREITAS and KOMANDANT GAIN deny vehemently and make jokes of it. But many of us have been court-watching, like Elmer Wilhelm of the Stonewall Democratic Club, and he has seen the men of HERR FREITAS Office of District attorney, continually remove from juries, gays in cases where gays are on trial.....but this is the way of HERR FREITAS! He is using gays with his appointment of Disler to "appease us", particularly the B.A.R. and Sentinel which believe any establishment lie handed out, for those two publications are not of Gay Lib quality.....they are of gay biz quality and to hell with the poor gay, the gay being entrapped, etc. Only when it affects one of their advertisers will they get "upset", except in the case of the Richard Elmon Model Agency. HERR FREITAS and KOMANDANT GAIN have ruled that straights can have Model/Escort agencies but not gays!

It is up to YOU to help stop this harassment of gay people in the Tenderloin, by helping to elect people in the odd numbered districts who will oppose this kind of crap. Like out in District 11, Ron Pelosi is a "tool" of the real estate interests, as is John Bardis one of his major opponents, but Eric Moncur who is running, is for rent control and for the low income and poor people of our city and deserves YOUR HELP.....particularly if you live in an even numbered Supervisorial district which are not up for election this year. Also, another old time foe of the police mis-doings and one who has been beat up by them, is attorney Terrance "Terry" Hallinan out in District 5. Harry Spitt hasn't done anything for gays and he is allegedly one of us.

Police terror, which includes all sorts of entrapment in the Tenderloin, as well as beatings must be halted. The privacy of gays who reside in the Tenderloin must be protected. The San Francisco Police Department have shown little or no respect for the right of privacy in this city and this must end.

Changes are coming, they are coming nationwide, we can see this daily in our publications and in the tv-radio news. The local governments as well as the federal governments keep passing new laws, taking away more and more of the freedoms of the little guy, and they keep the different peoples at one another's throats. For instance, here in the city, they try and keep gays and blacks at odds with one another; blacks and chicanos/latinos at one another's throats; and the asian people at odds with gays, with blacks. This is the only way that people like HERR FREITAS and FRAU FEINSTEIN can continue in office. It is time for a change, and only YOU can bring about that change.

Harvey Milk is dead. He just couldn't bring himself to become one of the establishment, so one of the brain-washed dupes of the establishment, an establishment jock, with homophobia kill Harvey and the friend of gays. This is the way the big money people like it. They like to see us fighting with one another in the gas station lines, this helps them and then they end out their police department to "keep order". We urge you to join the movement for change in 1979 and elect new people to office in San Francisco.

The CRUSADER is your ONLY Gay Liberation paper, believe us! rev. ray broshears.

## HUMPHRIES back!



ROBERT HUMPHRIES

Professional panhandler

REV. BOB HUMPHRIES IS SORRY, BUT ALL THOSE THOUSANDS JUST DRIBBLED AWAY!

The above is from a headline in the San Francisco EXAMINER newspaper, July 25, 1974. The bigger heading is "The Big Charity Charade". The story written by Lynn Ludlow was about the same Robert "Bob" Humphries who is in town promoting the "GREASY GUY CONTEST", which many of the bars have gotten involved in. All in the name of charity of course!

In the article, "Rev." Humphries referred to himself as a "professional panhandler". Another article in the SAN FRANCISCO magazine, did a story on the gay "Rev" Humphries and his "fund raising" efforts. It was called, "How Not To Raise Money for a Charity". There the Knights of Columbus charged Humphries with "messing around" with lotta funds. Later another article, had to do with the California League for the Handicapped, and the blind Mrs. Rose Resnick and funds that were solicited for her group that all just didn't seem to keep together somehow.

After investigations by the District Attorney, Humphries "split town" and went to Los Angeles and "set up" the Hudson Houses of which he is running along with Pat Rocco.

Now, humphries is trying to "raise money" for the gay bands to march, something which they have had little trouble doing being Humphries but now this is where the "Greasy Guy Contest" money is supposed to be going. Originally it was for the Hudson Houses, but that wasn't going over too well here so they changed it to the "gay bands" trip and now several bars have really gone for it.

The CRUSADER will be happy to supply any of you past articles on them from the EXAMINER, etc., and refer you to the proper people in the District Attorney office who would like to talk with "Rev" Humphries about "things", like money raised for senior luncheons but never turned over.

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## Call it quits! \* \* \*



Paul Hardman

Paul D. Hardman, after several years as a member of the Pride Foundation has called it "quits". Hardman was the President of the Board of Directors of the group, which is located at 330 Grove Street, site of the controversial Pride Gay Center, which the City of San Francisco has slated for demolition to build an auto parking garage for the Civic Center area. Hardman in recent months filed various suits against the City to halt the demolition, and as well, he and the Board of Pride also filed suits against the Gay Freedom Day Parade committee (Caplan-Perry-that who—man) for alleged unreported or missing funds. Several actions have been on-going in the Courts. Pride also won a victory of sorts over the defunct Society For Individual Rights in Court recently.

Hardman told the CRUSADER that he plans on going back east to the Columbia University and do some research work for a few weeks, and later return to San Francisco and become an "elder statesman" of the gay community. Hardman has some wealth according to insiders, and simply tired of the "games" that so many of the people in the so-called mythical gay community played. Hardman has maintained a tie with this newspaper over the years, not always agreeing with us, but helping us with information and visa versa. Hardman was not an evil man, Hardman tried his best in his way to help gay liberation, as he saw the needs. Paul Hardman tried.....that is for sure. Thanks anyway!

## FREITAS Violates Constitutional Rights!

The map below left is an exact replica which the District Attorney Joseph Freitas requires all persons arrested on 647 (b) of the Penal Code to sign. If they violate that signed petition, they will be arrested and have to serve out their terms if they were convicted under 647(b) which is "solicitation for prostitution". Many gays who have been arrested and "forced" to make a deal, even tho they were innocent, have had to



Joe Freitas, D.A.

"cop a plea" falsely, in order to avoid going to jail on a prostitution charge. D.A. Freitas who is supposed to be the friend of gays but surely is not, also has one aimed at the blacks, it is a map, but has boundaries for out in the Hayes Valley area in which mostly blacks reside. That is racist.....just as his other map the one below is "sexist" (anti-gay).

Yet no one in the other supposed gay papers have said a word about them, all they have done is defend Freitas, print all his press releases, do his bidding, or as one gay politician said..... "Kiss Freitas' ass!"

UNCONSTITUTIONAL..... This may come of little surprise to you but the whole damn thing is most unconstitutional.

There is a California State Supreme Court case which involves counties..... in which alleged "prostitutes, once convicted, had to sign a paper saying they would not return to that county while under probation for that alleged crime. The Supreme Court ruled that UNCONSTITUTIONAL.....yet this does not matter to D.A. Freitas, but it may in the very near future.

ARLO SMITH, Sr., who is reported to be running for District Attorney against Freitas in November, and who is a documented longtime civil rights activist who has for many years been a supporter of equal rights for our people, has said that it is unconstitutional and he has agreed to take the protest of the CRUSADER to the Attorney General's Office (he works as an attorney in the SF Office of the Attorney General).

Freitas refuses any comment on the matter, his so-called gay aide to the homosexual community of the city, someone named, Disler refused to see the CRUSADER reporter when he came to the D.A.'s office to see him with a copy of the map and statement.

Freitas' office was the one responsible for the harassment of CRUSADER reporters covering the Richard Elmon trial in Department 10 on the 26th of April, in the unofficial "war" of Freitas against the CRUSADER and it's staff.

Freitas the CRUSADER has learned, does not like questions, particularly embarrassing questions, like the ones which we confront his aides with, so we understand why his Office is trying to stifle our voice, but Freitas is not "dictator" yet, even tho some do refer to him as "Herr Freitas" and the Mayor as "Frau Feinstein".

The SF BAY GUARDIAN newspaper recently exposed Freitas for taking a free \$2,500 trip to Portugal and his failure to report this "gift". The Office of the Attorney General is looking into the matter we are happy to report.

The Attorney General is also conducting an investigation into the Freitas and People's Temple arrangement in which Freitas appointed the chief counsel of the Temple as an assistant District Attorney, something which the District Attorney does not like to discuss with anyone who will question him on the matter.

Recently the editor of this paper, as an individual, has made some charges to the Attorney General's office concerning conduct of Freitas which he hopes will control and possibly oust Freitas from office soon.

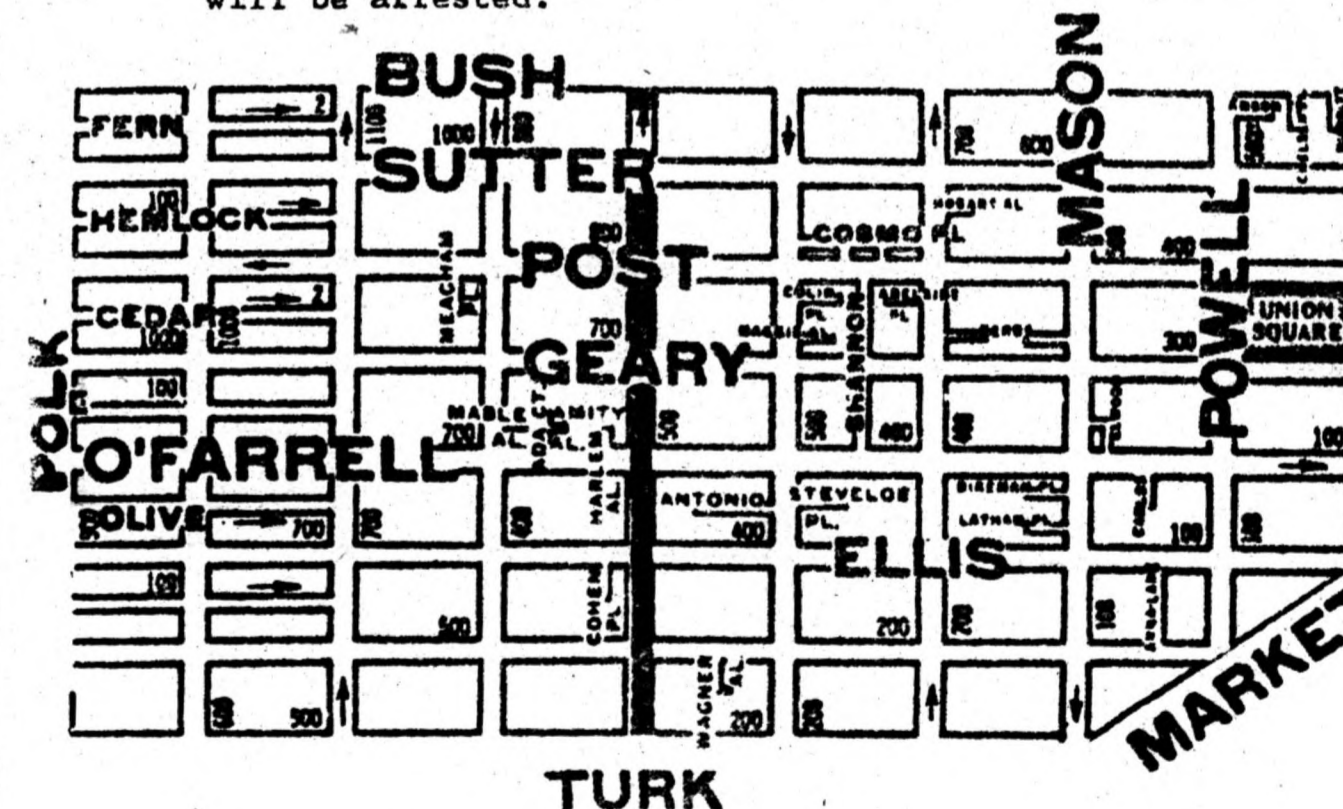
The dis-satisfaction with Freitas by the gay community began almost immediately after he took office when he refused to prosecute some of the gay voter fraud cases, in particular, some of his supporters. D.A. Freitas is being courtwatched now by gay Democrats!

### CONDITION OF PROBATION ON PENAL CODE SECTION 647(b)

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As a condition to the grant of probation, Defendant is not to loiter about in the area known as the Tenderloin between the hours of 10:00 P.M. and 4:00 A.M. the following morning. The boundaries of the Tenderloin are formed by Polk Street on the west side, Bush Street on the north side, Stockton on the east side, and Market-Turk Streets on the south side.

If you are found loitering in that area during those hours, it may constitute a violation of your probation, and you will be arrested.



I have read the above and looked at the map. I understand and accept this condition of the grant of my probation.

325-C

Signature

Date



**POLITIX Politix POLITIX**

**PAUL PRIOLO CANDIDATE FOR US SENATE IN '80.** The popular Assembly Minority leader Paul Priolo is a candidate for the Republican nomination for the United States Senate in '80. His chief Republican foe is one of the most dangerous men alive to homosexuals, Congressman John H. Roussetol, lifetime member of the John Birch Society. Roussetol now represents Alhambra-Glendale in Los Angeles County. He has vowed mental hospital for all gays. Many gays are registering Republican just for the primary next year, so they can vote for Priolo and halt the tide of the radical right wing that hates homosexuals.

**MAY 22nd is MADDY DAY** in central California all gays are hoping. Maddy is running for the State Senate and is being opposed to anti-gay Assemblyman Thurman. If any gays wish to volunteer on that day in helping out in the city of Fresno, or Modesto, please give them a call at (209) 252-3781. There are alot of gay votes, and let us all hope they vote the gay way....Ken Maddy for State Senate, 14th District.

**GAYS FOR HALLINAN**....a new committee is being formed now. Many oh so many gays have said "to hell with all this gay rep. biz!", let's elect someone who will represent US and not their own political egos or political philosophy. The 5th District lesbian women are lining up behind Kay Patchner, so it is most obvious that no gay will be elected from 5 this year.

**JOHN CONNALLY** is making a serious challenge to Ronald Reagan's traditional California support, as State Senator John Schmitz has introduced a measure which would end the "winner take all" delegate situation that now exists in California. Reagan supporters vow they will fight the legislation.

**DEMO SETBACK**....U.S. Senator Adlai Stevenson of Illinois has announced that he will not seek re-election. In 1980, 24 Democrat U.S. Senators face re-election while only 10 Republican U.S. Senators face re-election which could add considerably to the GOP power on the Hill!

**DIXIECRAT/REPUBLICAN COALITION** in 1981. This is the talk on the Hill in Washington, as southern Democrats, who feel they have little in common with northern and most western Democrat U.S. Senators, have caucused and announced that a revival of the old Dixiecrat-Republican coalition is more than possible, causing shivers to run up the backs of laborites and communists alike. Those Demos most nervous about re-election chances in '80 are: Frank Church of Idaho; Hollings of South Carolina who has been a union-tool also.

**DORIS WARD CALLED 'CARPET-BAGGER'** by black activist Arnold Townsend of W.A.P.A.C. after she had moved into nearly (98%) all while Golden Gate Terraces which are just inside District 7 (Bob Gohzaes). She is considered another "Auntie Tom" like Ella Hill Hutch and a "tool" of the big meony people on Montgomery Street and Dianne Feinstein. Her longtime resident opposition, blacks, in District 7 are a little pissed at her charpetbag role also. Townsend who lives in 4 and is considered a shoo-in over Hutch in '82, said he will not be idle in this '79 election, so watch out "Auntie Tom"!

**REAGAN A DEMOCRAT?** John Connally, former Democratic Governor of Texas responding to a query regarding his conversion to Republican, and that it might hurt his White House chances. "It will with some who will use it as an excuse, but if that is true, then Gov. Reagan and I will both have to

withdraw. He was a Democrat and a very liberal one at that, as a matter of fact."

**JOHN BIRCH SOCIETY, ANITA AND NATIONAL WHITE PEOPLES PARTY ALL ENDORSE CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION**....As so many liberals and conservatives rush into holding a Constitutional Convention. The experts are warning that such a Convention will lead more to an "Orwellian, Big Brother 1984" government. But some people who are bent on so-called tax reform think they can hold such a Convention to one item are totally wrong. There is a growing fear that the Bill of Rights will be completely abolished by such a Convention.

**MAYOR DENNIS KUCINICH** of Cleveland had this to say of Gov. Brown: "I would feel better having Woody Allen in the White House than Carter....now Brown had the potential to be president, but he has blown it. He is more interested in getting elected than in addressing serious problems." Did he say, Woody Allen??

**ERIC MONCUR GAINS IN II**....This highly popular person is gaining on the two front runners, Ron Pelosi and the G.O.P.'s man. Moncur is appealing to all factions of this Sunset area more and more. He is a vice-president in the Stonewall Democratic Club now.

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**THE New Look of the ARENA....**

**COMPLETE REMODELING OF ARENA.....NOW HAS LONGEST BAR IN ALL OF SAN FRANCISCO.....79 FEET LONG!!!!**

The ARENA, 399 - 9th Street, home of the "Golden Dildeaux Awards" and so many other events it is difficult to remember, is truly the MAN'S DRINKING BAR! This is NOT the place for "sissies" for sure! The new decor which we found at the ARENA was done completely by the employees, a "labor of love". Owner Alan Ferguson is so very proud of his staffers who worked so hard to change the bar. His manager, a long timer, south of Market, JC (J.C. Corbett) works very hard to please the customers, as does all the staff of the ARENA, which Alan insists that his staff do. The brick and shingle interior is a vast and more positive change from the previous black painted interior. The new lighting is much better and the windows are open so you can see out, but no one can see in, so there is some hot cruising in this laborer industrial area portion of town.

And for those gays coming to town to visit the ARENA, there are two motels nearby, one right next door, very nice and another across the street. BEAU is still behind the bar, as is BILL BONNEY, BOBBY, TOM, JIM, FRANK Benoit, and TERRY the assistant manager, as well as Frank "Poopsie" one of the barmen! Each WEDNESDAY night is the STUD CONTEST & AUCTION with RANDY JOHN-SON doing the emcee chores! Very funny man and the MEN south of Market all love his style of humor. Each Tuesday night they have a BEER BUST and on Mondays is the UNIFORM NIGHT which is to be seen to be believed. You just have to drop into the NEW ARENA. It is now open Monday thru Friday 12 Noon until 2 AM.....and on the weekends, Saturday and Sundays, 6 AM until 2 AM! One visit to the ARENA will bring you back for many more, that is....if you are a MAN, for this is a MAN's bar, with real friendship. The drinks are strong, they serve good beer and drinks at good prices, equal to any other south of Market bar. A visit to the ARENA will show you what San Francisco should be a little more like. A real MAN's bar!

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**MAY 24th**

**AT 10:00 PM AT THE**



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## APOSTLES OF DECEIT

by EDGAR C. BUNDY

The attacks on Christian Doctrine within the United States began within the seminaries, the theological training ground for future ministers, theologians and writers of church study material. The school of higher criticism, imported from 19th Century Germany, was used as an authority to rationalize away the miraculous elements of Holy Scripture. This was the same school which originated and produced Marx and his teachers. The worldly philosophers of this stripe superimposed their human intellect upon anything which could not be explained to the satisfaction of their ego or which took "faith in the unseen."

The seminarians, putting complete confidence in their instructors, carried their unbelief in the validity of the Bible to the various churches, Sunday Schools, publishing houses, religious colleges and universities, where they became instructors. So successful was this epidemic, that within a few short decades, since the turn of the 20th Century in America, most of the old line Protestant denominations have been completely taken over by this school of Modernism, or materialism, thus leaving the door wide open for the entrance of communism into the religious life of the United States. Ministers and theologians began to join the Communist Party, recruit young seminarians for membership in the Party, join a host of Communist-front organizations, sign Communist petitions, attack government investigating committees, security agencies, loyalty oaths, internal security laws, and any individual, organization or publication which had the courage to expose the inner working of the Marxist conspiracy in American life.

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## HOW THE COMMUNISTS USE RELIGION

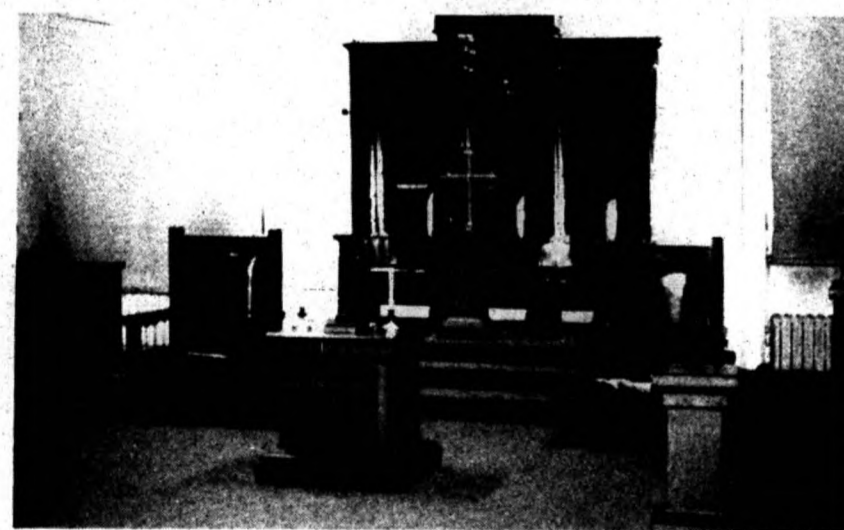
The freedom of the western world is being threatened from a subtle and unsuspected source—the Russian Church, whose so-called "religious" leaders are actually trained agents of the Soviet Union.

Tragically, these men are welcomed, feted and fawned upon by some of the most powerful men in the high church councils of the United States. Leaders from the USSR and the Free World who aid the conspiracy, are named by Edgar C. Bundy in this documented book.

Why, asks Mr. Bundy, after fifteen years of slandering and insulting the West, did the top churchmen of the USSR and its satellites suddenly decide, in 1961, to join the World Council of Churches? His answer is that the top men in the Soviet decided that this was the time to send forth their religious leaders as agents for communism, wearing the protective coloration of their clerical garb.

There are many instances in this book that will shock the average American and seem incredible. For instance, Metropolitan Nikolai, high in Russian Orthodox circles, was also high in the Soviet Secret police (KGB). Yet he was greeted by American Churchmen with open arms upon his recent visit and was escorted by the Rev. Eugene Carson Blake, president of the National Council of Churches to Independence Hall (of all places) in Philadelphia. There, while protesting groups of Iron Curtain refugees paraded below, Nikolai in his flowing robes was photographed with his hand on the Liberty Bell.

Edgar C. Bundy, by penetrating the religious front of the USSR has performed an incalculable service to his fellow-Americans, matched only by his earlier book, Collectivism in the Churches. The present book is followed by one dealing with the domestic scene, Apostles of Deceit.



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Greetings my friends,



On this page is some very interesting reading. "Christ Loves The Homosexual" has a real message in it for you and I do pray you will give it your close interest.

Also, "Apostles of Deceit" and "How The Communists Use Religion" are two books that are on sale from the Church League of America, only \$1.50 a piece. They are good reading and will wake you up to some of the garbage that is going on around you!

Give Jesus a chance to come into YOUR life. Love...not hate!  
God bless you! rev. ray broshears

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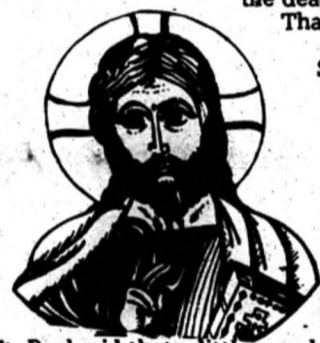
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## CHRIST LOVES THE ..... HOMOSEXUAL

"THE HOMOSEXUAL IS THE LONELIEST PERSON!"  
by Reverend Ray Broshears

As I was rushing down Polk Street towards the Rectory, a huge hulk of a person stopped me to cuss me out. He was a bit on the drunk side, obviously. This man has always considered himself the zenith of what manhood was allegedly all about, but, alas, in his drunken stupor, all he could see and feel was the hate he had for himself, the inability to face up to his homosexuality and deal with it like a real man. Liquor had taken the place of reason with this pathetic person, and I know that God is looking upon him with an great sorrow. Just as I told him him, when you cuss me, you are really cussing yourself, you just can't accept the fact that you are what you are, and God loves you just as much as He did before you began the practice of homosexuality, and He loves you just as much if not more, than those who have found salvation in Jesus Christ. This did not soothe him, he cursed all the louder, calling me names, like, well, you have heard them before or read them in other columns in non-Christian publications. This poor soul, he was once a hero, and we are proud of all he did for his country while in the military, for it was he and millions of others like him who have helped to keep America free from the enemy without. When I was in the Navy Medical Corps, I met my first real homosexual, and it frightened me, for no one could have ever convinced me that it was right. I was but 17 then. And now, this homosexual I met at Sutter and Polk, he did not frighten me ...for I too am now a homosexual, and most of all, I have Christ Jesus. Jesus died for me, as he died for all of mankind. All who believe in Christ Jesus, shall have eternal life. This goes for the drunks, the drug users, they too shall have eternal life if they repent of their sins and accept Jesus Christ as their personal Saviour. That means, you believe that He did die on Calvary's cross for us, and that His blood was shed for us, and that after having been in the grave for three days and three nights, he arose, and ascended into heaven and sets at the right Hand of God, until He shall come again, to judge the living and the dead. We all sin daily and we ask God to forgive us our sins!

Thank you Jesus!



### THE GAY? BARS.....

Some of them are really quite sad. Some of them are very nice. The sad ones are those that continually serve a person until they are so drunk they can't walk....a terrible sin. God forgives, but I assure you, that in some way, all shall pay for their sins when they so viciously commit them, knowing full well what they are doing is wrong. They try to hide behind pills and booze, but there is no hiding from judgement day! The raunchy bars serve only their only self-interest, putting little or no money back into the place. Some show some pride and have lovely show places. I am not condemning drinking....but, moderation please!!! Even St. Paul said that a little....and I emphasize, a little wine for the stomach is good. So, don't over do it. The "gay" bar has become to many, a sort of a "landmark" and a place where they think they find "friends", but their new "friends" can turn out to be their "robber" or even their "killer"!

The word "friend" is used too loosely by the average person, and more so by the very lonely homosexual person. A friend should be someone special whom you feel a great warmth or love towards....it is not a sexual feeling. Just as love is not a sexual feeling. How many homosexuals have you heard say that "they love this guy" or "that guy".... doesn't it kinda make the word sound cheap?? Truly it does cheapen the precious meaning of the word "love"!

### AND THIS BRINGS US TO GROWING OLD.....

We all do it....grow old. It can't be helped, as it is part of God's natural plan of life. In order for the homosexual to accept his or her growing old, many of them have to resort to drunkenness and narcotics. But, after the "high", when they wake up....they are still growing older. And what's worse, they age each time they take these chemicals (drugs) into their system. They have a weakening effect upon the tissue of the skin, as well as the other terrible effects.

The wrinkles, grey hair or no hair, the loss of vitality, sociability and the inevitable slowing toward the twilight of life....old age and then the inevitable death. The grave cannot hold the born again washed in the blood of Jesus Christ person, old or young, homosexual or heterosexual.

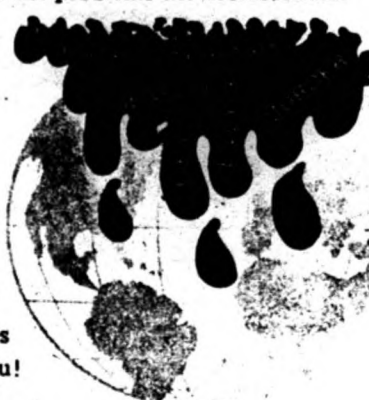
The average homosexual does not even go into a homosexual bar, they have learned to live with themselves and their homosexuality in a better way. I am criticized because I don't go to this function or that function, etc., but, I have no reason really to go, unless it truly is something special, for I don't drink never have and never will. Jesus has given the strength to not drink, to not smoke to not do drugs. And this same strength can be anyone's if they only go to God in Prayer.

The aging homosexual is all too often tempted to really "let go", "What the hell, why not, my life is about over and I want to enjoy it!", one homosexual about 45 told me one day, when talking about aging and homosexuality. And I told him, it is your life, and you can choose the way you wish to live, but what will you really gain from it except, loss of money, possibly loss of job, more wrinkles and even less hair than he had. By "letting go" you are showing panic at growing old, that you really cannot cope! But, you can "cope" if you have Jesus in your life. That I promised him. I have not heard from him in sometime, until the other day....when I learned that he was dying, and he had his landlady call me. He had fallen, ruptured several vital organs, and the doctors said that he did not have long to live. I went out to the hospital to see him, we prayed together as Jesus taught us to. He accepted Jesus Christ as his personal Saviour and now he is at rest in the Lord God. Thank you dear Precious Jesus!

As you grow older, the homosexual is free from alot of the problems the heterosexuals have, disruptions of the family, or being forgotten by the kids....for the homosexual as a rule has none of these things. Aging need not be a period of great sorrow or loneliness for the single person, for truly, it is wonderful to see the care that some younger homosexuals have for the aging one. This is one of the better things in the so-called "gaylife style"!

But....I ask the reader to please, please, remember, Jesus Christ is waiting for your call, He is there, ready and waiting, and I want to help you find Him. Please feel free to call upon me any hour of the day or night.

Eternity is a long time....forever, and don't you forget that....and don't you forget that Jesus forgives, that He does love the homosexual just as deeply as He loves anyone. We are all precious in His sight. God love you!  
ray



## Red Lantern kind to Elderly....

The luncheon for the elderly of the Tenderloin as provided by the Christ Chapel/O.E. Church of God's senior project, Old Folks Defense League, was tremendous success on the 30th of April thanks to a fantastic Auction at the RED LANTERN, 188 Golden Gate Avenue at Leavenworth Streets on April 28th. A total of \$232 was raised at the auction and a total of \$293.72 was spent on the luncheon held at the Church facilities in the Odd Fellows Bldg. 26 - 7th Street.

Present at the sparse but fun filled auction were such gay celebs as the fine Imperial Empress Ginger; Grand Duke Fred Townsend; Cowgirl of California II, the one and only Ronetta Fats; Alex of the Royal Guard.... who was also the bartender; Gina, the current and most beautiful Miss Gay San Francisco with her stud beau Jim; Grand Duchess Frau; Tenderloin Tessie of course was there, as was Grand Duchess Lee Raymond; Czar Randy Johnson, and Blossum, candidate for Queen Mother? we heard 32 year young David the artist donated a lovely painting which went for \$25 the highest bid of the evening, a tie for a lunch with Tessie at 222 Hyde for the Grand Duke Fred and his company. Truly, this small but hearty band of people is almost the same group which has kept the free lucheons going for the elderly of our city. Bless them!

DAVID the artist, Thad Holcome and MICHAEL Richardson at the table counting the money as it came in and adding some sex appeal!



BLOSSUM Sealey holding up some porno!



The Grand Duchess FRAU looking "regal" filled and happy too at the old folks event.



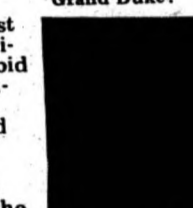
LEE FREDRICK of Badlands there



ALEX, future Grand Duke?



JAMES WERTZ, candidate in an up-coming Local 2 election for Secretary, serves up canapes for all present.



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Grand Duke Fred Townsend



Empress GINGER for the elderly!

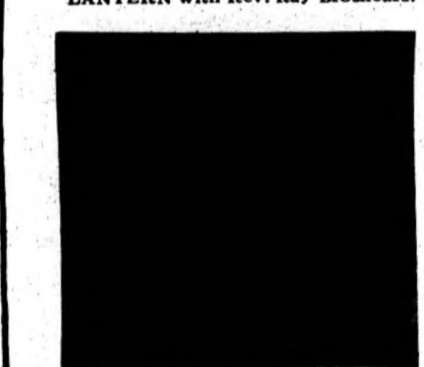
WATCH FOR TOM AS THE "MUCHO MACHO" IN HIS WESTERN OUTFIT & LAYOUT SOON TO BE RELEASED!



"All Night Party Goer"! TOM LOVETT SOUZA \*



CHRIS, the manager of the NEW RED LANTERN with Rev. Ray Broshears.



GINA, Miss Gay SF & MISTER JIM!



Lee Raymond, rumored to be running for empress, along with GINA, Miss Gay SF.



Rev. Ray Broshears, founder of the old folks luncheons addressing the people.



## RONETTA.... Rambles Round Town

Hi there! This is Ronetta again. Well, I truly want to thank each and everyone who was at the Auction at the RED LANTERN for our own Tenderloin Seniors Luncheon. We raised over \$200 and it was so nice to see our lovely EMPRESS GINGER at the affair along with FRED TOWNSON our Grand Duke along with his lover RICK; also present was Grand Duchess FRAU Schnieder; BLOSSUM Sealy; SHELLY RIO; our own Mr. Gay San Francisco LUIS; Miss Gay San Francisco GINA and her other half JIM; TENDERLOIN TESSIE, and so many others. It was funnnnn! But I do thank each of you all for helping our senior citizens of the Tenderloin and Downtown area, and a special thanks to the Staff of the RED LANTERN SALOON and I wish them all the best.

On May 26th, in the year of Our Lord 1979, there will be a wedding at the RED EYE SALOON between MICHAEL RIO (Shelly) and BILL TOLAN. They will be tying the knot after five years together. This one, Ronetta will be one of the bride's maids along with SISTER BRUCE and my lovely sister BOBBIE FRANKLIN of GOOGIES; the Matron of Honor will be Miss Gay SF GINA. SHELLY RIO's mother will be LA KISH of the NEW BELL and the best man will be emperor Robert Ross. It sure will be nice to be a bride's maid this time and not the bride. So I do hope to see many of you there on May 26th at the Red Eye Salon at 5 PM (Editor's Note: This paper is not allowed into the place so we will not cover it or allow any pics of it in our paper!) Wonderwoman of the Tenderloin, TRACEE ..... will you please get in touch with your sister.....me??? I have been down to your house and you are always out.....I guess on the Streets of the Tenderloin!!!! Whatcha upta girl???

Glad to see my sister BOBBIE FRANKLIN back to work, this time at GOOGIES on Geary, 688 Geary at Leavenworth. After she left that place on Hyde Street she is now far better off. You can see BOBBIE and buy drinks from her as cocktail waitress each Friday, Saturday and Sunday. I'll be down there alot now that BOBBIE is there and I hope each of you will too. We all love GOOGIES, and GEORGE, LITTLE JOE and BIG HANK so much. Really good gay people and a credit to our community.

The OLDE SPICE COURT of EMPRESS GINGER held an auction on the 25th of last month at GORDONS and the hostess was Empress Shirley. Well kids, I felt like I was walking through Gumps Department Store. I have never seen so many beautiful things at one auction. I would like to thank TONY DeSETTI and his other half..... RICHARD, for the beautiful crystal spittoon they bought for Luis and I. I will cherish (but not use it) for many many years.....thank you both!!!!

REMEMBER.....RONETTA WILL BE COMING SOON!  
Well kids, on May 4th I went to Great America and I truly had a great time. I truly felt like I was a kid again going on all those rides and at one time I thought I was going to have a heart attack. I would like to thank GINA & JIM for giving LUIS and I a ride to the place. Our Cowgirl Leona was named cowgirl of Great America for the night and to think that Leona a cowgirl.....would not even get on the horse ride.....really girl, you should have and rode side saddle like me, it was fun!

The Reno Coronation will be on June 30th at the MGM GRAND HOTEL so get your rears in gear!

Thanks to all who attended MAE DAY NIGHT at the California CLUB. A lot of fun was had, it was a fine show and alot of money was raised for MAE! Thank you ..... CHUCK ZINN and EMPRESS GINGER to mention but a few of the many who all made it a fun event.

The CLOSET BALL is June 16th!!! June 10th will be the COWBOY & COWGIRL Contest of San Francisco.

Good luck to RANDY JOHNSON ex-columnist of Data Boy, and his new lover. I hear he is a real doll!!!!!!

I was offered a job last week at the SOUND OF MUSIC.....but I had to turn it down. It had nothing to do with anyone who worked there, believe me. I love you all at the SOUND OF MUSIC. And FANNY I think you are a very special person to me. I just think the SOUND OF MUSIC is not my kind of place and I do thank all of you for thinking about me. Love you all and I URGE EVERYONE TO GO SEE THE SHOW. S there night!!

Until the next Crusader (June 6th) you can catch my column in the Rip Off Rag. Remember.....I do care much about all of the people in our city and in particular in the gay communities I love all of you who have done so much for me. And I love all of you who do so much for one another. Please keep on being good to one another.....for that is what life is all about! Take care of yourselves!

Goodnight to all!

With lotsa love,

RONETTA Fats, Miss Cowgirl II of California  
And EVERYONE.....stop by my sisters shop on Hyde at Ellis, called "TENDERLOIN PETALS, and tell them RONETTA sent you. A fabulous flower sho!

## "COKE" Pusher RAPES Youths

A blackman about 35 to 40 years of age has been introducing young white teeners to drugs, most notably, cocaine, and then introduces them, reportedly to even stronger drugs and keeps them at his home and forces them to have sex with him. The San Francisco Police Department have been made aware of the actions of the person, but as of this writing have failed to make any arrests. One 17 year old youth told this to the SFPD, saying that the man lived in the Du-Boce Triange area, but the SFPD have no comment on the subject as yet.

The youth told how the man forced him to oral copulate him while he took films of his doing the act. The man told the youth that he was "a lawyer in the office of the District Attorney". He told another kid to keep his mouth shut or "the mafia will get you, I'm a member."

Young white gays in the Polk, Tenderloin and Castro areas are urged to be on the beware side about a black man offering them "free cocaine or any drug!"

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**Tenderloin TATTLER**  
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&  
BILL WHITE

Many thanks to all who attended the benefit at the SOUND OF MUSIC for VIC POTTER. All who attended this May 1st event had to agree they had a good time and it proves that we all support our own!

The "BILL WHITE REVUE" would like to say thank you to H.L. Ferry, owner of the Frisco Royale for inviting is down on Monday recently for a show.

In my last article I mentioned some bad papers "floating" at the LANDMARK from one of the former candidates for Miss Gay SF '79 and I wish to make it perfectly clear that it was NOT.....GINA our current Miss Gay!!!

The Santa Rosa Production of "GREASE" at the LANDMARK with GIDGET; Mr. & Miss Gay Sonoma County, raised \$269.00 for the senior luncheons in the Mission district at MCC. Miss TENDERLOIN TESSIE was at her very best, looking hot as usual.

Many thanks to EMPRESS GINGER and her escort; Miss Gay SF GINA and her lover JIM; That lovely lady CHAR, dowager Empress X-III (love ya girl!), and the many others who made this a fabulous evening by attending that evening.

I would like to say that our function was on the same night as the "roasting of Char" so we appreciate all of you who came by afterwards. You were great!!!!

TONY CASTRO is out of the hospital. Looks good, but not back into circulation yet, but no tricks will be safe on the streets when she returns.

Speaking of "tricks", looks like MADAM.....

LESLIE is getting a little payback.....was that your husband wearing a dress and wig??? DARLING????????? Just wish Rev. Ray had been there with his camera!!!!

MISS PARIS, a member of the BILL WHITE REVUE wants everyone to know that her embarrassment over having to dress in the mens room? of the Frisco Royale has been forgotten, except she can't forgive H.L. and Kenny Reed for not putting a star on her private stall door!

The LANDMARK would like to welcome to the staff, JIMMY RICHARDS (of Blue & Gold fame). He pounds the planks on Mondays..... 10 til 6!

BIRTHDAYS IN MAY: Bobby Allison..... Bill White.....and Mr. Shannon!

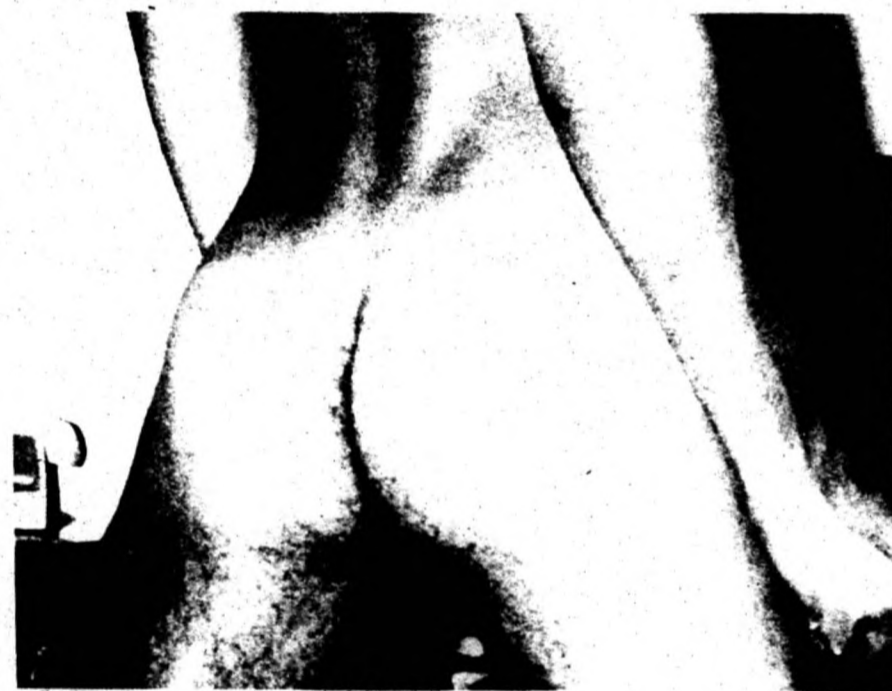
Sof M Miss Christine, you were not smart girl and paybacks are real nice sweetheart!!!!

Miss Cher of of S of M I see is still in town..... did you not get the message "dear"? Go all the way back before!!! You know what!!!!

Well, the FAT FAIRY is in Oakland and is still in debt we hear. The Fairy is living on 10th Street there.

The BILL WHITE REVUE is at the LANDMARK, 45 Turk Street each Friday, Saturday and Sunday at 9 & 11 PM, starring MADAM LESLIE, Miss MARGO, Miss PARIS, Miss LORETTA, so come and see us and you will have a great time! (NO door cover and NO increase in drink prices!)

Thanks for coming by Miss Gay SF GINA! Love ya girl!!! You are the tops!!!!



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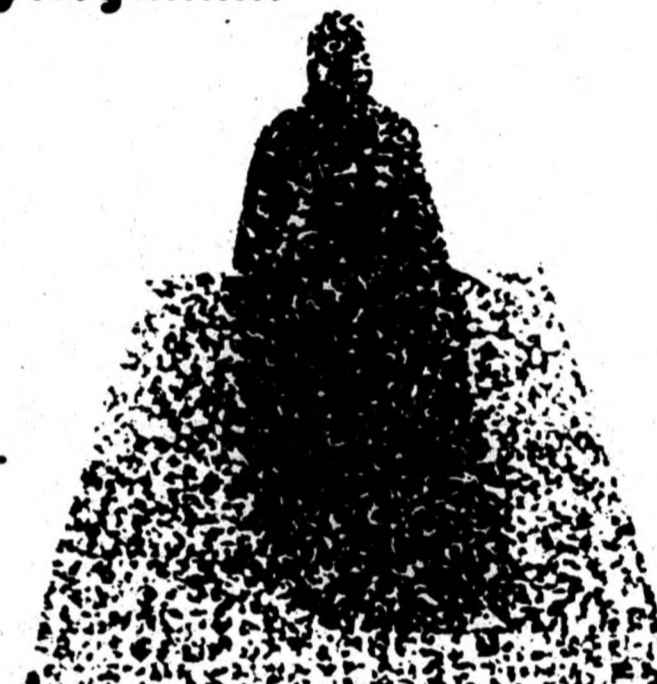
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## SPORTS

by FRANK LEE SPEKIN, Crusader Sports Editor

FLASH! R.I.P. (we hope) SPORTS? WRITER? JIM DEWEY! Yes, for the past two issues of the Sentinel Jim Dewey has been bragging, moaning, or ranting how he has quit as sportswriter and editor of that pissy-rag. Let us pray that the final issue was his final mess!! At least for the sake of accurate sportswriting and good sportsmanship!

CSL (Community Softball League) Commissioner Paul RUEHL (is that spelled right?) has really had his headaches... the silliness of the CSL to refuse to play the GSL (Gay Softball League) at the Annual Tavern Guild Picnic was stupid on the part of the CSLers who voted not to do so. Jealousy and envy as well as the famous "gay hate" does not mean good sportsmanship and we trust that the CSL and Commissioner Ruehl will rectify that or else...well, more teams will drop out of the staggering CSL.

Golda's team by the way is a part of the Black & Blue not the S27 as we wrote last time, so the apologize to Jay Platt!!!

In the "sports" department, we have to say a word about the Wednesday evening bowling champions at Park Bowl just completed...there was a team that indeed and infact did win...but the business they represented didn't! That's a big switch. Usually it is the team folding and the owner looking for bowlers, but this time it was the defunct Village Cabaret at 2265 Market Street. Their team won, but the disco never opened its door except to serve as headquarters for "No on 6" (that group stuck the owners with a \$700 electric bill...really gratitude!). Congratulations to Bob Charrot's champs and let us hope they represent a live and going business this next time around.

Rumor has it that The Web has folded...they lost again by a humongous score...and this time it was called after three innings...the score? Web 1, Oil Can Harrys 34! After only 3 innings!!!!!! Hans may be able to buy up bars but he sure hasn't be able to "buy" a winner!!!

Oh yes, Chuck Chateau has announced that the White Swallow would NOT play at the Tavern Guild picnic despite what was written in another paper.

Note to certain "jealous gays"...Irene does not write this column...thank you!!!

Great Western Outing Club is having fine field trips, skiing, back-packing, rafting and other such events. If you are interes-

ted, contact Ernie Mercado of Oakland at 465-3823. They have another group in southern California and this is a real fine legit group. Try it, you'll like it!

Sutters Mill 9 - Park Bowl 3 The gays beat the all-straight CSL team this time. Hot babies!

Mint 23 - Buzz's (Bob Hagen) 4 Dear hearts (sound like Irene?)...Bobby is still poor at picking ball players, but is so fine at picking men!

Oil Can Harry's 6 - Ambush 4 Well, ole "crybaby" Gurvitch lost this one and tried to have it disqualified because of a typo. But at last, finally, the CSL Commish, Paul Ruehl ruled right!!!

Golda/Black & Blue 11 - Cinch 13 Wouldya believe that Irene of the GSL had to come over and help the Cinch win with his fantabulous??? (yuk!) pitching.

Rainbow Cattle Co. 15 - Sacramento 4 Han's team clobbered the "girls" from our state capitol sorely. Hooray!!!

Irene's Fabulous 40's 18 - Rookies 6 Dear hearts!!! This one was even close!

San Jose 27 - Nothing Special 3 Poor Mark Brown still doesn't have that ole time winning formula. He needs the Flying Nun to play on his team.

Vagabond 23 - Urban Country 4 The team picked to win it's division does appear on it's way.

Gilmores 27 - Eagle Creek Saloon 6 And to think that Sweetlips wasn't even doing the pitching and Gilmores won

Deluxe 45 Heart's Delight 0 This game was called after 3 innings. Bless the women

lets all root for them to win their next time out!

Irene's Fabulous 40's is going to San Jose to play that team this next week end and it should be a "bloody" one!!!

SHAME ON THE CSL....While it is true that Han's team at the WEB is out of the CSL, they did not exactly "pull out"...they were thrown out by the CSL because the "team wasn't good enough for the CSL!" This is disgusting and poor sportsmanship. The Web played ball to have fun, but the CSLers want only "pros"...so, this is why the GSL has grown so big and will be bigger next year. Sports should be fun...you hear that CSL piggies????

## Hustler Beats Victim..... Cops 'side' with the hustler!

Barry Winkler

SFPD RETURNS TO OLD DAYS.....HELPING THE "ROLLER" OF GAYS! ARRESTING VICTIM!  
Clarence "Barry" Winkler, 33, was on his way home, on April 26th at about 3 AM when he met a youth by the name of Paul Harris on the "meettrack" on Market, between Mason and Taylor Streets. Harris, who gives as his address 60 Leavenworth Street, apt.23, stands at 5' 9", slender, about 140 lbs., with brown hair combed straight back.  
Winkler took Harris to his home in the 1800 block of Market Street. As Winkler told the CRUSADER, they both proceeded to disrobe completely and got into bed and suddenly Harris swung and hit him (Winkler) in the face and then they battled. Winkler battled Harris out of the apartment out onto Market Street completely nude, at least Winkler was, for Harris had taken the pants of Winkler and one of his jackets. Harris took off into the night running. Winkler was injured, nude, went back inside his apartment, cleaned some of the blood off, called a cab and as the cab pulled up, so did the SFPD (Southern Station of course), and told Winkler to give Harris all of his clothing back and ordered Winkler to let them into Winkler's apartment which Winkler refused, saying he had to take the cab and get to the hospital. The SFPD sent the cab off into the night without Winkler and forced him inside the building and took the punk Harris's clothes, yet, did not make Harris give back the leather jacket of Winkler or his pants. The cops then told Winkler he was under arrest for 148 PC (resisting arrest) and 243 PC (hitting a cop). Both of course which are as Jimmy Carter says..... "Baloney!"  
Winkler got out on O.R., and went to Court, retaining noted black attorney, Henry M. Myers of Oakland, to defend him on the charges. Myers told the CRUSADER that he is preparing to file a "Pitchess Motion" which he hopes will be successful and end the whole mess.  
Gays have been being entrapped by young sexy cops on the "meettrack" as of late, and now punk-hustler-funky-roller types are being helped by the cops to drive off the gay from the "meettrack", obviously.



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- 1....GOLDEN SHOWER QUEEN  
Randy Johnson  
Ken Cook  
Chuck with Rimless Glasses  
Darrell the Slave  
Rick Hammond
- 2....PRINCESS TINY MEAT AWARD  
Tommy Thompson  
Phil Waterman  
H.L. Perry  
David Lindsey  
Sweetlips of Gilmores

- 3....SIZE QUEEN AWARD  
Tom Weber  
J.C.  
Alan Ferguson  
Marcus  
Bobby Magan



- 4....SCAT QUEEN AWARD  
La Kish  
Tom Wicker  
Gene of the Ramrod
- Larry Stevens  
Colonel Clinque

- 5....PAPER WEDDING DRESS  
Tammy Lynn  
Bobby Magan  
Tommy Thompson
- Flame  
Reba

- 6....COBWEB AWARD (Least sex in '78)  
Hans of the Cinch  
Frank Benoit  
Van Emmon  
Lenny Mollet  
Cam Solari

- 7....DIVINE MISS "M" AWARD (Masochist)  
Mitch of the Wild Goose  
Darrell the Slave  
Bobby Magan  
Harold B. "Duke" Smith  
Mayor Dianne Feinstein

- 8....GOLDEN BRUISER AWARD  
Sanford Kellerman  
Robert the Rapist  
Jim Miller/Handball Ex.  
Mitch of the Wild Goose  
J.C.

- 10....BEST FEMALE PERFORMANCE BY A MALE IMPERSONATOR.  
1.... Tess of the Balcony  
Manuel "Doris" Soares  
Cora, 527 Club  
Bob Ross  
Tenderloin Tessie

- 11....JACK OFF KING III  
Danny Roth  
Dick Cook  
Paul Bentley  
Dixon of the \*P.S.  
Terry Thompson

- 13....BEST ORAL COPULATOR OF THE YEAR '78  
Dennis of the Ramrod; Marcus; J.C.; Richard Elmon; Ray Broshears



- 9....BEST MALE PERFORMANCE BY A FEMALE IMPERSONATOR (Butch Drag Queen)  
Pat McConagle  
Empress Ginger  
Jane Doe  
Rob Reed of Data Boy  
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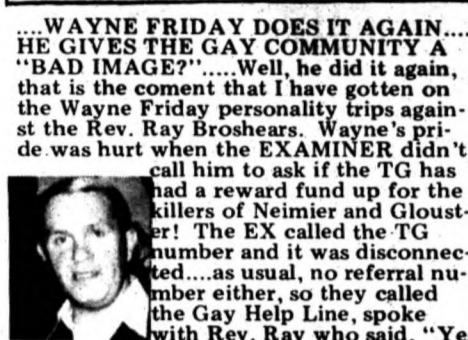
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## MOCKINGBIRD

BY THELMA DIRT



WAYNE FRIDAY DOES IT AGAIN... HE GIVES THE GAY COMMUNITY "BAD IMAGE?" Well, he did it again, that is the comment that I have gotten on the Wayne Friday personality trips against the Rev. Ray Broshers. Wayne's prude was hurt when the EXAMINER didn't call him to ask if the TG has had a reward fund up for the killers of Neimer and Ghouster! The EX called the TG number and it was disconnected...as usual, no referral number either, so they called the Gay Help Line, spoke with Rev. Ray who said, "Yes the TG did offer a reward on the case, but heaven only knows if they will pay PFC RIDDIT any of that money for they are stingy as hell, I'm sure that Wayne will find some way to avoid paying the funds." Well, wonderus Wayne did, he said that because the killer of the two men were killed in a struggle for the life of PFC Riddit, he won't get any of the reward money! That he had to be "arrested and convicted." Hell Wayne, what if you, sissy that you are, were in PFC Riddit's place and were fighting for your life...providing you were "ok" if you get what I mean...wouldn't you have shot the man who was trying to kill you Wayne? You bet your sweet bippy you would have!!! Well Wayne Biddy has given the gay community a bad name in Tacoma, Seattle, Portland and San Francisco all with one fell sweep of his big loose mouth! And to think that the TG has a nother full year of Friday to go as TG president...that is what is sad...but with him as the prey, TG is losing ground and fast...right Paul Hardman?

Who is JIM WERTZ the waiter?

DEAN of the RED LANTERN does it in "leather"...so hot too!!!!

Rumor hazzit that ALEX of that bistro is into S&M...true or false!!!!!!

RICHARD, manager of the CBC is in hot water and I don't mean at the baths either.

J.C. of the ARENA is the "Sexiest thing south of Market"...if you don't believe me, just ask him...or SWEET-LIPS AT GILMORES!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

E.Lee CLIFTON stole a 10" sailor with a dirty dick from DON BLACK also known as Foxhole Tilt! Then he got the clap!!! That was back in the 50's when they both lived at 970 Post Street.

DOLLY P is coming back to SF soon!! Watch out...that girl is hot hot hot!!!!

IVAN, it will be good to see you again!!!!

"Here's a look from my cock" and "I can't give you anything but hair" "baby" those are writings underneath pictures of handsome sailors and marines in the photo "buns of DON BLACK along with cuts of public hair taped under the pic.

Is POOPSIE still at the ARENA? We haven't seen him there in some time!!!!!! Is Poopsie "woopie"????

TALLULAH TENNYSON of the \*PS is too much. I think the Office Girl of Any Year should go to him...if you ever have dealings with him, you'll know just what I mean!!!!!!

IZZIT TRUE? That MAMA BILLY and MARCUS are about to tie the knot? Zeeeeeeeeeeek!!!!!!

THE WILD GOOSE is really wild these daze we hear...right on MAMA!

THE PARTNERS has plenty of them and is always looking for more! Nice bar with nice people!

THE RAFTERS INN, at 1035 Post St., has RANDY JOHNSON ex-columnist behind the bar for them...RANDELLA has a handsome hubby we hear. Wonder if RANDELLA will get the Golden Shower Dildeaux Award again this year???

Don't forget, the Golden Dildeaux Awards on the 24th of this month...it will be a blast and RANDY JOHNSON will be one of the emcees! We hear tell that the editor-owner of a south of market paper has been nominated for the "Cobweb Award" this year...well deserved...for we all know his mouth doesn't have any cobwebs!!!!!! He and Wayne Friday should get married!!!!

This dude/stud at the right here (a bet...ter pic on him is on the RED LANTERN auction article) who is a "top" from the city of Augusta...LEE FREDRICK, is in his late 20's and he works in the Castro area. Rumor has it...that he is one super stud...so watch out for your rear flanks!! Those southern boys!

Rumor hazzit, and he hope it is true, that FLAME and VINCE have gone back together. Love FLAME, he is one of the greatest...if only he'd dump his groupies he'd be better off!!!!!!

TONY DeSETTI, at your right here, wearing a tiara...is reported to be all man...but you will have to stop in the CHURCH STREET STATION during the day shift, Tuesday thru Saturday to ask and see for yourselves. He has a love...RICHARD who is the real answer man for TONY...if you catch what I mean????????????????

MIKE, of Frenchy's K&T who is 25, and stands about 6' and weighs in at 140, works the corner of Turk and Taylor, so we hear. And with his assets and 6 to 7 "he could be nice, but we hear he luv's only "rice"!!

At the PLEASURE PALACE someone yelled out, "This darkies is calling the Rev. Ray a muthafucker!!". Dear hearts!!! Well, we won't tell you why, but it is reported that the "rev" stole one of the "darkies" chickies!!! ha ha ha ha ha ha ha ha!!

Crank telephone call plague: It is a continuing thing. One man who has been plaguing the Help Line phone caused one man to nearly die, as he was O.D.ing and the only number he could remember was the Help Line, so if that man had died, the telephone plagues would have been guilty of conspiracy after the fact. This same freak has also been harassing people at the Data Boy, and attorney's as well. But, his day is about to come...to court and to the State Hospital!!!

Contrary to rumors, MARCUS is very much welcome at the ARENA, even tho he doesn't work there anymore...so shush ya mouths rumormongers!

DISCO SOON? at the BLACK & BLUE is what we are hearing and we wish KEN and the gang the very best of luck...south of Market needs a masculine disco place to boogie in!

LEE RAYMOND, the popular entertainer and former Grand Duchess II is reported to be going to run for empress if associates and friends have their way. They don't want to see Connie-Spoil-Sport win and me! I am the same. LEE of course isn't saying he will or won't, but says he is considering it. He will make the perfect successor to the fabulous GINGER! GINGER, who will obviously go down in the books at the very greatest Empress ever!

Well, the Emperor race is getting so very close and the only named contenders so far are LENNY Mollett and CHUCK Demmon. Please...there must be some others out there, and in particular, REAL MEN!!!! Hey hey, guys, get it together! I forget the name of the current emperor...he only had about 47 people at his California Hall disco...let's see, doesn't that hold about 600 people???? tsk! tsk! Maybe he should try being nicer to ALL PEOPLE!!!!

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Didja see that picture of the Vice Cop on the front page?? he is cute and he is very personable. The SFPD do know how to "use" the pretty cops, don't they...PLEASE STOP THE FEETION TO ABOLISH THE VICE SQUAD today!!!!!!

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Drag shows still going on at the SOUND OF MUSIC and at the LAND-MARK bars on Turk in the New Tenderloin. Also, live country music at the RED EYE SALOON on Jones.

The handsome MAN at your left here is about to leave out city...yes, GREGG I, is about to return to Long Beach. We all love GREGG so much, and we all wish the best of success in that beautiful city. He has been a very bright light in our town and we sure will miss him. Love you forever!!

Yes, that is the Emperor I, Mister MARCUS giving a "finger" to BOB REED who was taking the picture! MARCUS is so happy over all the nominations got for GOLDEN DILDEAUX!!!!!!

PATRICK, 31, who works at the WILD GOOSE is a MAN...at least according to him. He is from Seattle, whenever that is????

And in this picture below is the beloved and lovely RANDY JOHNSON showing just how pretty he can be???

Haveya seen the LaVeme & Shirley act at the ARENA on Monday nites???? It is hot. Just ask the startenders, BOBBY and TOMMY what time they come on!

"Ayatollah" Ferguson of the ARENA??? Who??

Things are humming we hear tell at the END UP DISCO, 6th & Harrison Streets in our south of Market area. At last long glances, they had plenty of hot young studs, dancing their ass and other things off in there...and they do have a fine sound system. Stop in at the END UP...you'll lust it and the young men there too!!!!!! (Excuse the older one running around, Eddie Van...he is out of place!)

BOB REED star photographer...he took all our photos at the RED LANTERN auction for which we were deeply grateful. Thank-you-sir!!!!!!

The BRIG just recently held a hot hot "Mr. Leatherman" Contest and all in attendance were greatly pleased.

The WEEKLY contest going on at the ARENA each Wednesday is the STUD CONTEST & AUCTION is a real exciting contest. If you want laughs, leather, levi and MEN, drop in each Wednesday at the ARENA!

At you left here is the next? hopefully, Queen Mother, BLOSSUM! He is a bartender at the RED LANTERN now, 188 Golden Gate Avenue. Drop in and say hi! and get behind him!

The man at the right here is our Mystery Man of the Issue Man. Tell us who he is and win a...well, something!!!!!! Clue...it was taken south of Market Street by JCI

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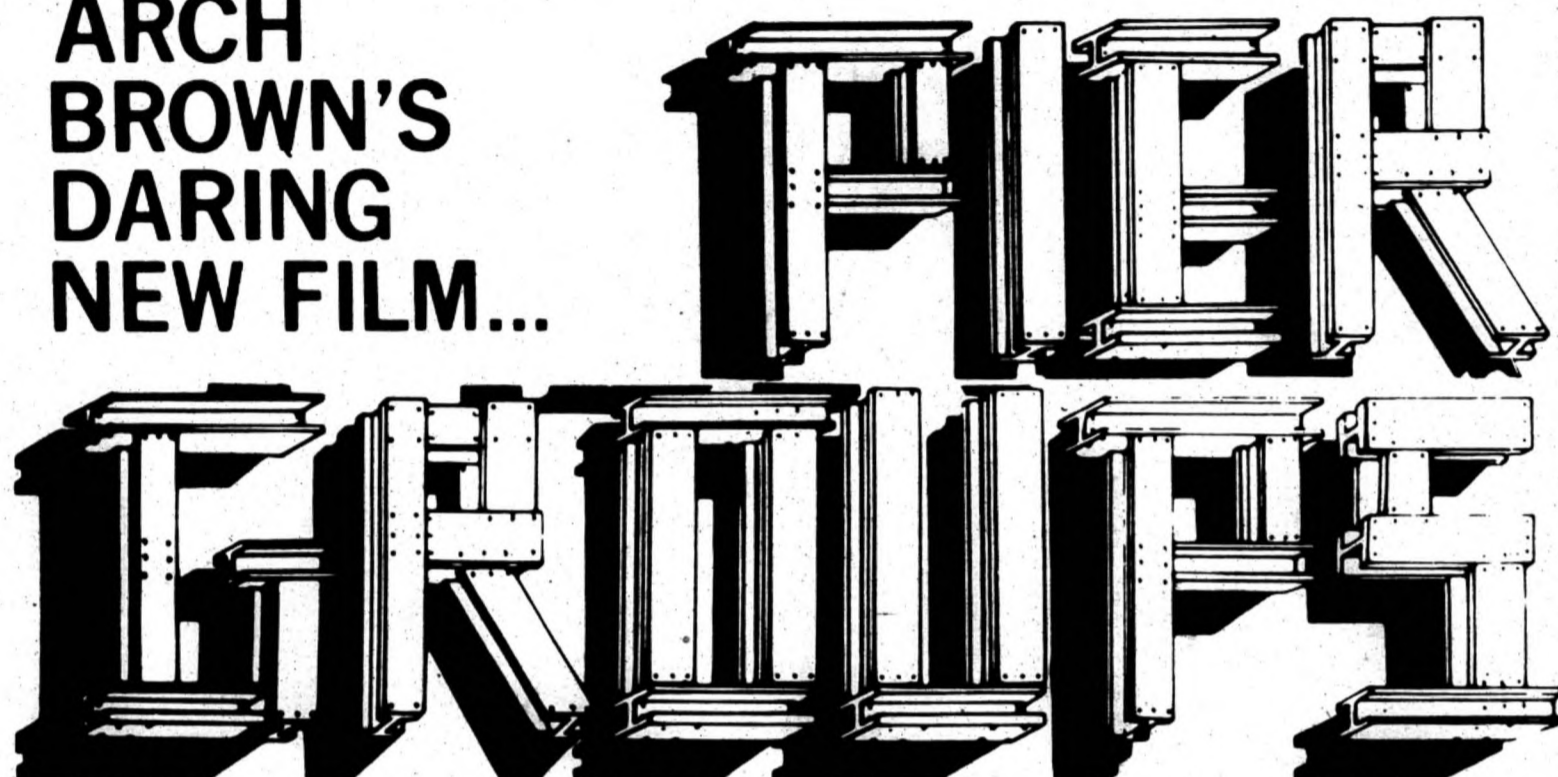
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